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REVOLUTIONARY COMMUNIST PARTY (RCP), DOMESTIC SECURITY

THE FULL DOMESTIC SECURITY INVESTIGATION OF THE RCP WAS DISCONTINUED IN APRIL, 1978, BECAUSE THE ACTIVITIES OF THE ORGANIZATION FAILED TO MEET THE CRITERIA FOR INVESTIGATION UNDER THE ATTORNEY GENERAL GUIDELINES GOVERNING DOMESTIC SECURITY INVESTIGATIONS.

HOWEVER, RECENT INCIDENTS BY THE RCP, SURROUNDING THE VISIT OF VICE-PREMIER TENG HSIAO-PING, PEOPLES REPUBLIC OF CHINA (PRC), INDICATE THE FULL DOMESTIC SECURITY INVESTIGATION OF THE RCP SHOULD BE REOPENED.

EXAMPLES OF THE VIOLENCE AND VIOLATION OF FEDERAL LAW ENGAGED IN BY RCP MEMBERS INCLUDED THE JANUARY 24, 1979, REBELLION AT THE LIAISON OFFICE OF THE PEOPLES REPUBLIC OF CHINA (LOPRC), WASHINGTON, D. C., WHEN FIVE RCP MEMBERS

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WERE ARRESTED AFTER PAINT, LEAD FISH SINKERS AND LEAFLETS WERE THROWN AT THE LOPRC. ONE OF THE RCP MEMBERS ARRESTED WAS IN POSSESSION OF A HANDGUN.

ALSO, THE JANUARY 26, 1979, EDITION OF THE WASHINGTON POST INDICATES ROBERT AVAKIAN, (CHAIRMAN OF RCP CENTRAL COMMITTEE) REPRESENTING THE RCP COMMITTEE FOR A FITTING WELCOME, HELD A PRESS CONFERENCE ON JANUARY 25, 1979, TO ANNOUNCE THE GOALS AND TACTICS OF THE COMMITTEE CONCERNING TENG HSIAO-PING'S VISIT. AVAKIAN WAS QUOTED AS HAVING SAID, "THE KIND OF THING THAT HAPPENED AT THE EMBASSY YESTERDAY IS AN EXAMPLE OF A FITTING WELCOME ... A WARNING HAS BEEN ISSUED AND A CALL HAS BEEN MADE." WHEN ASKED BY A REPORTER IF HIS GROUP WOULD PROVOKE VIOLENCE DURING THE SCHEDULED JANUARY 29, 1979, RCP DEMONSTRATION, AVAKIAN WAS QUOTED AS SAYING, "WE ARE NOT PACIFISTS. IF PEOPLE ATTACK US, WE WILL DEFEND OURSELVES...I THINK WHAT THE IRANIANS DID WHEN THE SHAH WAS HERE WAS A FINE THING, IN THE SCOPE OF WHAT WE WOULD DO."

ADDITIONALLY, INFORMATION HAS BEEN DEVELOPED INDICATING THAT THE RCP HAS ESTABLISHED LIAISON WITH THE MAOIST FACTION

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OF THE IRANIAN STUDENT ASSOCIATION (ISA) AND HAS PARTICIPATED IN ANTI-SHAH DEMONSTRATIONS WITH THE ISA IN HOUSTON AND SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS. INFORMATION HAS ALSO BEEN RECEIVED INDICATING THAT MEMBERS OF ISA AND THE RCP FROM THE HOUSTON AREA PARTICIPATED IN THE ANTI-TENG HSIAO-PING DEMONSTRATION IN WASHINGTON, D. C., ON JANUARY 29, 1979. THIS DEMONSTRATION, WHICH WAS SPONSORED BY THE RCP, RESULTED IN A VIOLENT CLASH BETWEEN DEMONSTRATORS AND POLICE OFFICERS. APPROXIMATELY 50 INDIVIDUALS, MOST OF WHOM HAVE RCP CONNECTIONS, WERE ARRESTED AND AT LEAST ONE POLICE OFFICER SUFFERED INJURY.

BASED ON THE ABOVE AND THE RESUMPTION OF DIPLOMATIC RELATIONS BETWEEN THE U.S. AND THE PRC, IT CAN BE ANTICIPATED THAT FURTHER VIOLENCE WILL BE FORTHCOMING BY THE RCP.

THE RCP, A PRO-MAOIST, MARXIST-LENINIST REVOLUTIONARY ORGANIZATION EVEN THOUGH PRO-PRC, IS ANTI-TENG HSIAO-PING. BECAUSE OF THIS, RCP CAN BE EXPECTED TO DO EVERYTHING POSSIBLE TO DISRUPT THE U.S.-PRC RELATIONS.

CHICAGO, AND OTHER RECIPIENTS, SHOULD, AT AN EARLY DATE, MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS CONCERNING INDIVIDUALS WITHIN THE RCP MEETING CURRENT INVESTIGATIVE CRITERIA TO BE

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INVESTIGATED. RECOMMENDATIONS SHOULD ALSO BE MADE REGARDING INVESTIGATION OF OTHER RCP CHAPTERS AND RCP FRONT GROUPS, INCLUDING REVOLUTIONARY STUDENT BRIGADE AND UNEMPLOYED WORKERS ORGANIZATION COMMITTEE, THROUGHOUT THE UNITED STATES.

RECIPIENTS SHOULD IMMEDIATELY CONTACT FORMER RCP INFORMANTS IN AN EFFORT TO REACTIVATE THEIR COOPERATION. ADVISE FBIHQ, UNDER INDIVIDUAL INFORMANT CAPTION, OF ANY INFORMANTS REACTIVATED.

FOR THE INFORMATION OF RECIPIENTS, FBIHQ HAS ADVISED THE INVESTIGATION REVIEW UNIT, DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE, REGARDING THE REINSTITUTION OF THIS FULL DOMESTIC SECURITY INVESTIGATION. THEREFORE, IT WILL NOT BE NECESSARY FOR RECIPIENTS TO DO SO WITHIN SEVEN DAYS. HOWEVER, RECIPIENTS SHOULD SUBMIT A 90-DAY PROGRESS REPORT.

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TENG VIZ, 1979, FCI-PRO (A), OO: WFO

RE WFO TELETYPE, JANUARY 30, 1979.

REFERENCED TELETYPE FURNISHED LIST OF 75 INDIVIDUALS, WITH
DOB, SEX, AND RACE, ARRESTED JANUARY 29, 1979 IN WASHINGTON, D.C.

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FOR RIOTING IN CONNECTION WITH A DEMONSTRATION SPONSORED BY THE
REVOLUTIONARY COMMUNIST PARTY (RCP) THAT DATE. BOSTON INDICES
CONTAIN THE FOLLOWING PERTINENT INFORMATION (IN ALL CASES THE
DOB AS FURNISHED AGREES); ALL ARE DOCUMENTED RU MEMBERS, EXCEPT
NUMBER 12:

RE NUMBER 12, JOHN F. KENT:

JOHN FREDERICK KENT, AKA, DOB [REDACTED]; PERMANENT
RESIDENCE (1972) 6508 DEARBORN DRIVE, FALLS CHURCH, VIRGINIA;
GRADUATE USNA; NAVY JET PILOT; DISCHARGED AS CO IN 1971; ARRESTED
BY BUREAU AGENTS APRIL 21, 1972 IN SAN DIEGO FOR CONSPIRACY TO
INJURE GOVERNMENT PROPERTY AND TRESPASSING FOR PURPOSE OF INJURING
GOVERNMENT PROPERTY (BUFILE UNKNOWN, SDFILE 102-16271, BSFILE
100-44693).

RE NUMBER 17, TIMOTHY L. HOPKINS: 44-5135 NT

TIMOTHY LANG HOPKINS, AKA, DOB [REDACTED] (BUFILE
100-475236, BSFILE 100-45263); SEE BOSTON REPORT OF SA EVERETT J.
BICKFORD, DATED MAY 2, 1974; LABORER; COMMON-LAW WIFE, ROBIN
GARRETT; BOTH DISAPPEARED NOVEMBER, 1975, FROM PORTSMOUTH, NEW
HAMPSHIRE AND ALLEGED TO BE LIVING ATLANTA, GEORGIA, AUGUST, 1976;

DOB [REDACTED] per Boston Tel. Card 2/5

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A AND D; POSSESSES HANDGUNS.

RE NUMBER 32, JULIO A. CARTAGENA:

JULIO ANTONIO CARTAGENA, JR., AKA, POB [REDACTED] (BUFILE

UNKNOWN, BSFILE 103-46155). SEE SUMMARY BOSTON REPORT OF

SA LAWRENCE GILLIGAN DATED JUNE 26, 1974; LAST KNOWN RESIDENCE

IN JUNE, 1976, BOSTON, MASSACHUSETTS.

RE NUMBER 56, BARRY GREENBERG:

BARRY WILLIAM GREENBERG, POB [REDACTED] RESIDENCE (1973)

431 SOUTH SIXTH AVENUE, MAYWOOD, ILLINOIS; SSAN [REDACTED] WIFE

MARY LOUISE.

RE NUMBER 69, LAURENCE ANNE DYCHES:

LAURANCE ANNE COE, AKA MRS. WALDROY HAYNE DYCHES, POB [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] SSAN [REDACTED]; RESIDENCE (JUNE, 1976) 603 4TH

STREET, BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA.

WHILE BOSTON INDICES CONTAIN REFERENCES TO OTHER FURNISHED
NAMES, NO IDENTIFICATION COULD BE EFFECTED DUE TO LACK OF OTHER
DESCRIPTIVE INFORMATION.

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REVOLUTIONARY COMMUNIST PARTY (RCP), DOMESTIC SECURITY

RE WFO TEL TO BUREAU JANUARY 30, 1979 AND BUREAU TEL
TO WFO JANUARY 31, 1979.

INDICES SEARCH OF THE SEVENTY DEMONSTRATORS ARRESTED
AT WASHINGTON, D. C. (WDC) ON JANUARY 29, 1979, PREVIOUSLY
SET OUT TO RECEIVING OFFICES (EXCEPT CHICAGO) IN REFERENCED
WASHINGTON FIELD TELETYPE DATED JANUARY 30, 1979, WASHINGTON
FIELD FILE 200-1425, COMPLETED AT WASHINGTON FIELD.

PERTINENT INFORMATION WILL BE FURNISHED INTERESTED
OFFICES UPON COMPLETION OF RESULTS OF FILE REVIEWS AND

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UPON COMPLETION OF THE FINGERPRINT EXAMINATIONS BEING
CONDUCTED BY THE IDENTIFICATION DIVISION.

IT SHOULD BE NOTED THAT FIVE OF THE ABOVE 70 HAVE
BEEN IDENTIFIED AS IRANIANS AND ONE OF THESE, ALI SHOGAE,

DATE OF BIRTH [REDACTED], GAVE

ADDRESS AS 3510 PEACHTREE STREET, ATLANTA, GEORGIA. *no 3510
3500*

REFERENCES PERTAINING TO REVOLUTIONARY COMMUNIST PARTY
(RCP) AT WASHINGTON FIELD BEING REVIEWED. SOME POSSIBLE
IDENTITIES OF RCP ASSOCIATES INCLUDE: JOHN KENT, TERESA
KIME, LINDA HANKS, MARK SHEPPARD, LAWRENCE FREDERICK SNYDER,
BARRY GREENBERG, JAMES COATES, JOHN ABBOTT, ROBERT BRUCE
AUAKIAN, PAT RICHARDS.

CHICAGO BEING FURNISHED NAMES IN REFERENCED TELETYPE
BY SEPARATE COMMUNICATION.

ATLANTA MAY WISH TO REVIEW INDICES RE ALI SHOGAE,
WHO MAY BE ONE OF SIXTY PERSONS OF THE 70 ARRESTED RELEASED
ON PERSONAL RECOGNIZANCE AND CONSIDER SEPARATE CASE.

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TENG VIZ, 1979, FCI - PRC (A), OO:WFO.

REVOLUTIONARY COMMUNIST PARTY (RCP). DOMESTIC SECURITY, OO:CG.

RE WFO TEL JANUARY 30, 1979, CAPTIONED "TENG VIZ, 1979".

RETEL FOR ISHED LIST OF 70 INDIVIDUALS ARRESTED JANUARY 29, 1979, IN WASHINGTON, D.C., FOR RIOTING IN CONNECTION WITH DEMONSTRATIONS SPONSORED BY THE REVOLUTIONARY COMMUNIST PARTY (RCP)

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TH T D IE: SA: FRANCISCO INDICES CONTAIN THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION
GAINED FROM REVIEW OF SAN FRANCISCO FILES.

RE: TERESA KAY KINE, AKA TERESA KINE BORZOOI, SF 100-72661,
BUFILE 100-467298. KINE BORN [REDACTED]

[REDACTED]. FORMERLY EMPLOYED AS AN OPERATOR BY PACIFIC
TELEPHONE COMPANY, HOWEVER SHE WAS FIRED 1975. LAST KNOWN ADDRESS
LISTED AS CARE OF JAY ESCALANTE, 614 LAUREL, OXNARD, CALIFORNIA.
CASE OPENED 1971 FOLLOWING REMARKS BY KINE THAT SHE WAS A MEMBER
OF AN ANTI-IMPERIALIST COLLECTIVE, EXACT GROUP NEVER FURTHER
IDENTIFIED, CASE CLOSED 1972.

RE: WALDROE WAYNE DYCHES, SF 100-71418, BUFILE 100-461464,
JCMCOVILLE FILE 100-1354. DYC FS BORN [REDACTED], MEMBER
OF THE VENCEREMOS BRIGADE 1970, AND LIVED IN SAN FRANCISCO FOR A
SHORT PERIOD 1971 BEFORE HE RETURNED TO FLORIDA.

RE: LAURENCE FREDERICK SNYDER, BUFILE 100-456655, SF 100-63357.
SNYDER BORN [REDACTED], CHAIRMAN OF THE
EFFICIENCY COMMITTEE OF THE REVOLUTIONARY UNION (RU) IN SAN JOSE,
CALIFORNIA. FORMER SOURCES RECALL THAT ON ONE OCCASION SNYDER

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TRAVELED TO LOS ANGELES TO BUY GUNS FOR THE RU, AND SOURCES REPORTED THAT SNYDER CONSIDERED HIMSELF TO BE AN EXTREME MILITANT. AS OF JULY 24, 1975, SNYDER WAS RESIDING IN APT. 1, 1432 DUBERT, SAN JOSE, CALIFORNIA, AND WAS UNEMPLOYED.

RE: BARRY WILLIAM GREENBERG, BUFILE 100-451980, SF 100-61719, CG 100-53010. GREENBERG BORN [REDACTED]. SOURCES HAVE REPORTED THAT GREENBERG WAS THE HEAD OF ALL RU ACTIVITY IN THE SAN JOSE, CALIFORNIA, AREA AND A NATIONAL LEADER OF THE RU. IN 1972 GREENBERG AND HIS WIFE, MARY LOUISE GREENBERG, LSC A HIGH LEVEL RU OFFICIAL, MOVED TO CHICAGO, ILLINOIS, AND AS OF 1975 WAS RESIDING AT 401 SOUTH SIXTH STREET, MAYWOOD, ILLINOIS, CONSIDERED TO BE RU NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS.

RE: LARRY CRAIG CASQUIERO, BUFILE 100-457950, SF 100-63647. CASQUIERO BORN [REDACTED], 5'10", 140 LBS., BLACK HAIR, HAZEL EYES, FBI NO. 475693H, LAST KNOWN ADDRESS 2530 1/2 WEST 26TH AVENUE, DENVER, COLORADO. HE WAS ARRESTED JANUARY 25, 1969, AT SAN FRANCISCO FOR UNLAWFUL ASSEMBLY, PRESENT AT RIOT, AND DISTURBING THE PEACE (ALL DISMISSED OCTOBER 7, 1969).

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ACTIVE IN DEMONSTRATING, PICKETING, AND STRIKES AS RU LEADER IN
 BAY AREA AND MEMBER OF RU LOCAL EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE, SAN JOSE,
 CALIFORNIA, IN LATE 1960'S. CASQUIERO [REDACTED]
 AND IS CONSIDERED ARMED AND DANGEROUS.

RE: JOHN FREDERICK KENT, BUFILE 100-470203, SF 100-73382,
 ID 100-16271. KENT IS WMA, DOB [REDACTED]
 GRADUATED FROM U.S. NAVAL ACADEMY ON JUNE 4, 1968, AND DISCHARGED
 FROM THE NAVY MARCH 19, 1971, AS CONSCIENTIOUS OBJECTOR UNDER
 NAVY SERIAL NO. 731699. KENT ARRESTED FOR DISTURBING THE PEACE
 AND CRIME ON A GOVERNMENT RESERVATION MAY 5, 1972, AND RECEIVED
 ONE YEAR PROBATION. FOUNDED SAN DIEGO CHAPTER OF CONCERNED
 OFFICERS MOVEMENT (COM) JULY 25, 1970, AND ACTIVE WITH AND LEADER
 IN SAN DIEGO'S CONVENTION COALITION (SDCC) DURING 1972. SDCC
 A GROUP OF VARIOUS RADICAL GROUPS IN SAN DIEGO FORMED TO OPPOSE
 U.S. GOVERNMENT THROUGH "SERIOUS, DETERMINED, AND LONG RANGE
 SOCIAL UPRISAL."

RE: PAUL BENJAMIN SHAY, SF 100-77036, BUFILE 100-478286,
 BUFFALO 100-22727. SHAY IS WMA, DOB [REDACTED]
 [REDACTED] 5'8", 170 LBS. REPORTEDLY A LEADER OF THE RCP IN

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ROCHESTER, NEW YORK, AS OF EARLY 1976. ARRESTED BY MONTEREY COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE, MONTEREY, CALIFORNIA, FOR PETTY THEFT UNDER MCSO NO. 70-5512, ON SEPTEMBER 15, 1978. SENTENCED TO 60 DAYS COUNTY JAIL (50 DAYS SUSPENDED AND RELEASED SEPTEMBER 24, 1978). NO REPORTED RCP ACTIVITY IN SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION.

ASSETS FAMILIAR WITH IRANIAN STUDENTS ASSOCIATION (ISA) ARE BEING CONTACTED AND INFORMED OF BUREAU'S INTEREST AND RESPONSIBILITIES IN CONNECTION WITH THE RCP AND INVESTIGATION IS UNDERWAY TO IDENTIFY RCP LEADERSHIP IN SAN FRANCISCO BAY AREA.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Washington, D.C.

February 2, 1979

In Reply, Please Refer to
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VISIT OF PEOPLES REPUBLIC OF CHINA (PRC)
VICE-PREMIER TENG Hsiao-ping to
Washington, D.C. on January 29, 1979

This communication is classified
"Confidential" in its entirety.

On January 31, 1979, a source, who has provided reliable information in the past, furnished the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) the following information in relation to captioned matter:

In response to the visit of TENG Hsiao-ping to the United States, the Revolutionary Communist Party (RCP) (See Appendix) planned and implemented a demonstration and meeting at Washington, D.C. The meeting began at 10:00 a.m., January 29, 1979 at the All Souls Church, 16th and Harvard Streets, N.W., Washington, D.C.

In attendance were approximately 300 members of the RCP and about 12 members of the Iranian Student Association (See Appendix). The RCP had representatives from many cities, including Chicago, Detroit, Cleveland, Cincinnati, Baltimore, Washington, D.C., Pittsburgh, Buffalo, Atlanta, New York-New Jersey area, and Florida.

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The following individuals spoke: James Lauder milk, Robert Avekian, Carl Dix, and David Matthews. Avekian is the Chairman of the RCP and Dix and Matthews are leading functionaries in the Baltimore RCP. Lauder milk is a member of the RCP, Washington, D.C. These four individuals had met secretly earlier and planned strategy for the demonstration, but did not give the details publicly to other members. Matthews advised that he was planning a very militant demonstration.

Avekian spoke against TENG and the present PRC leadership. The RCP members applauded when the speakers talked of revolution and the overthrow of the Capitalist System in the United States. Lauder milk stated that they were to give TENG "a real militant reception".

The speeches at the church continued most of the day, so as to raise the hysteria of the RCP members, and to await darkness so as to make the demonstration more effective. Matthews stated that the RCP did not want 10,000 people only to march and shout slogans, but preferred 300 militants with a real revolutionary communist ideology so that they could bring their message through the media to the American public.

The march began at 5:00 p.m. and a confrontation with the U.S. Park Police took place at about 6:00 p.m. at Lafayette Park, Washington, D.C. Many of the RCP members carried banners in the march on pieces of wood, which had been shaped at one end for use as a club. Others carried banners on round poles that could also be used as clubs.

Only designated persons of the RCP could have cameras with them, so as to eliminate the possibility of RCP members having their pictures taken by outsiders. Paul Bietilia, Baltimore RCP member, stated he would drive a truck with loud speakers during this march. A man known only as Harry, an RCP member, served as the liaison man at the Holiday Inn, Washington, D.C., telephone 483-2000, extension 909.

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APPENDIX

REVOLUTIONARY COMMUNIST PARTY, USA .

On October 1, 1975, the Revolutionary Union (RU) publicly announced the formation of the Revolutionary Communist Party of USA (RCP). The RU, a militant semi-covert Marxist-Leninist revolutionary organization ideologically oriented towards the People's Republic of China and the teachings of Chairman MAO Tse-tung, had as one of its main objectives, the founding of the RCP, and with the announcement of the formation of the RCP, the RU, as an organization, dissolved. Membership in the RCP is composed primarily of individuals who had previously been members of the RU.

The RCP has published a booklet entitled "Programme and Constitution of the Revolutionary Communist Party, USA." This booklet states "The programme is both a declaration of war on the ruling class and a battle plan for the working class of this country. The central task of the Revolutionary Communist Party today, as the Party of the U. S. working class, is to build the struggle, class consciousness and revolutionary unity of the working class, and develop its leadership on a broad united front against the U. S. imperialists. This means the masses of workers must rise in arms, forcibly smash and dismantle the armed forces and political apparatus of the bourgeoisie and create in their place the organs of power of the armed working class."

The Constitution of the RCP states "The Revolutionary Communist Party takes Marxism-Leninism, MAO Tse-tung thought as the theoretical basis guiding its thinking. The basic programme of the Revolutionary Communist Party is the complete overthrow of the bourgeoisie, the establishment of the dictatorship of the proletariat in place of the dictatorship of the bourgeoisie and the triumph of socialism over capitalism. The ultimate aim of the Party is the realization of communism."

Members of the RU, the predecessor and founder of the RCP, have been identified as collecting weapons while engaging in firearms and guerrilla warfare training. The RCP is headquartered in Maywood, Illinois, and utilizes the same mailing address as was utilized by the RU.

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IRANIAN STUDENTS ASSOCIATION (ISA)

The Iranian Students Association (ISA) in the United States is described in its own literature as a member of the World Confederation of Iranian Students (WCIS). Founded in 1958, WCIS is a student federation active in the United States, Europe, Turkey and the USSR. It is dedicated to the defense of Iranian "political prisoners" and opposed to the Government of the Shah of Iran. WCIS is governed by the communist concept of "democratic centralism" and supports the National Front, an Iranian political party opposed to the Shah's government.

Due to a severe factionalism, the ISA is divided into two main factions: the (Marxist) Communist and National Front factions.

The (Marxist) Communist faction is opposed to armed struggle and guerrilla activity at the present stage. They cling to the orthodox Marxist view that the revolutionary consciousness of the peasants and workers must be raised before the revolution can succeed. They insist the only way to revolution is to follow the teachings of Marx, Lenin and MAO Tse-tung. They want to build alliances with revolutionary groups of other nations to present a broad united front against imperialism.

The National Front faction takes the position of the necessity of guerrilla warfare and terrorism as the first phase of the anti-imperialist revolution and calls for this type action now. The National Front rejects the concept of an international alliance of revolutionaries, arguing that their goal is revolution in Iran and the revolution is to be uniquely Iranian.

The ISA, with chapters located at various campuses in the United States, is composed generally of Iranian aliens who have been admitted to the United States as students. They are united in their denunciation of the Shah of Iran as a puppet of United States imperialism. Activities in the United States are primarily confined to demonstrations against the Shah of Iran and "United States Imperialism." Members of the ISA have also attacked Iranian diplomats and Iranian facilities in the United States.

APPENDIX

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Enclosed for the Bureau is the original and
 four (4) copies of an LHM dated and captioned as above.
 Two copies of the LHM are being designated for Atlanta,
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Agent debriefing source on 1/31/79 was
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Will maintain contact with source regarding
any further information concerning demonstrations.

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RANDALL HINTON WQXI
WITH MARK MORI, REV. COMM. PTY.
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Mori: Are you ready?

Hinton: Yeah! Go ahead.

Mori:

January 29, 1979 - Washington, D. C.

TENG HSIAO PING, got the welcome fitting the traitor and the murderer that he is on January 29th in Washington D. C.

MAO TSD-TUNG's red books were waived right up in Carter and Tung's faces, as two (2) people in an action organized by the Revolutionary Communist Party disrupted the Welcome Lawn Party, despite all out tight security by the Secret Service, but this was only a prelude of what was to come.

An indoor rally sponsored by the Committee to give a fitting welcome to Teng heard Bob O'Vacian, Chairman of the Central Committee of the Revolutionary Communist Party, describe the hopes and glimpse of the future that China represented for millions throughout the world during the period of the Cultural Revolution.

Numerous testimonials and cultural performances highlighted what MAO's teachings meant to the working people in this Country and the needs to take a stand against Teng's despicable betrayal.

Beginning in the late afternoon, the march of some five hundred (500) revolutionaries chanting slogans denouncing the entrance of China into the U. S. War Bloc and upholding MAO TSD TUNG's brave police harassment and threats, in the face of the RCP's week long political offensive, the police launched a vicious attack, hundreds were lined up in double columns, shoving the marchers out of the streets onto the sidewalks.

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Just four (4) blocks away from the White House, the police announced that the Parade Permit was revoked; nevertheless, the marchers made their way to the White House, where they righteously expressed their rage at the treachery of Teng's war preparations with the U. S. Rule.

Armed with billy clubs, motor scooters and horses, the police tried to stop the march, but it was too late and only led to a pitch battle in the park and streets surrounding the White House. Teng had been given a taste of the revolutionary anger as the streets were littered with broken coke bottles, and police horses were reared in panic, as flares that brightened the night were thrown at them. About eighty (80) people were arrested in the action, including Bob O'Vacian, Chairman of the Central Committee of the Revolutionary of the Communist Party, and several others singled out and beaten. In jail, many were denied medical treatment, some were handcuffed to the bars of their cell to quell their chance, but this only brought on stronger and louder chanting. All of this has only stiffened the determination of the RCP to rip the veil off the latest war moves of U. S. Imperialism and continue to defend to the great contributions of MAO TSD-TUNG which the new rulers of China are bent on obliterating.

The Revolutionary Communist Party will see to it that wherever Teng goes, he will not escape revolutionary raft, and that the rest of his visit to the United States will be just as unforgettable.

Mori: That's it.

Hinton: O.K., uh, first off, let me get a contact number for you.

Mori: O.K., it's 7554481.

Hinton: Is that the, uh, RCP, or your home?

That is both.

Hinton: O.K., 7554481. O.K., who were the people from Atlanta,
that were busted in this thing last night?

Mori: O.K., I can give you the name of one. Let's see.

Hinton: How many from Atlanta - total were arrested?

Mori: O.K., 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 is my count.

Hinton: O.K., 10 people from Atlanta arrested.

Mori: Yeah!

Hinton: And, uh, you said you just have one name available.

Mori: I, have, let's see, Ann Dykes, and uh, Will Monroe, are the only
names I have available.

Hinton: That is Dykes?

Mori: Dyches.

Hinton: Dyches and Will Monroe.

Mori Yeah!

Hinton: O.K., 10 people including them.

Mori: Right

Hinton: O.K.

Hinton Now, what do you have planned here in Atlanta?

Mori: O.K., we plan to demonstrate against Teng HSIAO Ping, when he comes to
Atlanta, in the same spirit as the previous actions that we have
organized and carried out in Washington; but our specific plans are
not yet made.

Hinton: O.K., you are permitted for any marches or anything.

Mori: No.

Hinton: You are not permitted.

Mori: No.

Hinton: Are you going to get permits?

Mori: Uh, well I think if we ask for them at this point we would be denied, but we hadn't really planned to march on the street anyway, so I don't think the permit question is really much of a question.

Hinton: Are you going to rally somewhere? Or you know.

Mori: I don't know.

Hinton: It's beginning to sound a little bit shady there.

Mori: We may rally, and will let you know, you know, when we, if we plan a rally we'll let you know about it.

Hinton: Hopefully a non-violent protest of whatever.

Mori: Well, let me just say that we are going to give Teng the welcome he deserves. It will be a fitting welcome, in the same spirit as what's already taken place.

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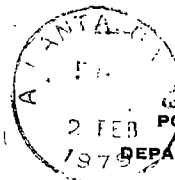
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TENG VIZ 1979, FCI - PRC (A), CO: WASHINGTON FIELD.

VICE PREMIER FANG YI AND HIS DELEGATION'S VISIT TO THE
LOS ANGELES AREA ON FEBRUARY 3-4, 1979 INCLUDED TOURS OF THE
LOCKHEED FACILITIES IN PALMDALE, RECEPTION AT MAYOR BRADLEY'S
OFFICIAL LOS ANGELES MAYOR'S RESIDENCE, DISNEYLAND, TEXACO
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ON FEBRUARY 3, 1979, A GROUP OF ABOUT 50 PROTESTERS DEMONSTRATED OUTSIDE THE RESIDENCE OF MAYOR BRADLEY. THEY IDENTIFIED THEMSELVES AS AFFILIATED WITH THE REVOLUTIONARY COMMUNIST PARTY (RCP). THEY SHOUTED ANTI-TENG HSIAO-PING SLOGANS AND CARRIED ANTI-TENG HSIAO-PING PLACARDS. ONLY TWO OF THE PROTESTERS WERE OBSERVED TO BE ORIENTALS. THE PROTESTERS ENDED THEIR DEMONSTRATION A FEW MINUTES AFTER TENG'S PARTY ENTERED THE MAYOR'S RESIDENCE.

ON FEBRUARY 4, 1979, WHAT APPEARED TO BE THE SAME GROUP, SUPRA, DEMONSTRATED OUTSIDE DISNEYLAND.

THE ABOVE DEMONSTRATIONS WERE ORDERLY AND WITHOUT INCIDENT. ON THE SCENE AT THE FEBRUARY 3, 1979 DEMONSTRATION WERE LOS ANGELES POLICE DEPARTMENT (LAPD), U.S. SECRET SERVICE (USSS), U.S. DEPARTMENT OF STATE (USDS), AND LOS ANGELES FBI SPECIAL AGENTS. ON THE SCENE AT THE FEBRUARY 4, 1979 DEMONSTRATION WERE ANAHEIM POLICE DEPARTMENT, LONG BEACH POLICE DEPARTMENT, LAPD, USSS, USDS, AND LOS ANGELES FBI AGENTS.

ALSO ON FEBRUARY 4, 1979, A SMALLER GROUP OF ABOUT 20

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PEOPLE ABOUT HALF WERE ORIENTALS, WERE PREPARING TO DEMONSTRATE OUTSIDE DISNEYLAND AT A DIFFERENT LOCATION AND OUT OF SIGHT OF THE RCP DEMONSTRATION. THIS GROUP WAS SEEN SHORTLY AFTER FANG YI'S DEPARTURE FROM DISNEYLAND. THE DEMONSTRATORS CARRIED REPUBLIC OF CHINA FLAGS AND PASSED OUT LEAFLETS CALLING FOR "NO DEALS WITH COMMUNISM", "TELL CONGRESS KEEP FREE CHINA FREE", AND "WE SUPPORT REPUBLIC OF CHINA AGAINST COMMUNISM". USSS ADVISED THAT THE DEMONSTRATION WAS ORDERLY AND AGAIN WITHOUT INCIDENT.

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Memorandum

TO : Gilbert G. Pompa
Director

FROM : Robert Hughes
Northwest Region

SUBJECT: Message from the Revolutionary Communist Party

DATE: February 2, 1979

The following information was left in the Community Relations Northwest Regional office on February 1, 1979, as described to you telephonically on the evening of February 1. The message reads as follows:

"NOTICE

"To U.S. Capitalist Class and their justice system.

"Your frenzied efforts to squash the revolutionary wrath against the pimp and murder dog and Teng Hsiao-ping are blowing up in your face.

"Two people courageously exposed Teng's garden party inside your White House headquarters. You sent your thugs in blue to attack a march of 500 revolutionaries only to hurl the sound of battle right into the dinner where rich parasite and sellout traitor tried to celebrate China's entrance to U.S. war block.

"Now you hold Bob Avakain, the Chairman of the Revolutionary Communist Party, hostage. You chained and beat our class brothers and sisters in your dank jail basements. But you will not intimidate the RCP revolutionary workers and supporters from continuing actions against the Teng and company road show in Atlanta, Houston and Seattle.

"HEAR THIS!

"Release all the revolutionary fighters or there will be hell to pay. Teng will not trample the legacy of MAO TSE TUNG and escape unscathed. The RCP has sworn to uphold the red flag of revolution. We will fight to free our party chairman and all revolutionary comrades from your vicious frame-up. Teng will not show his boot licking face anywhere in this country without receiving a belly full of revolutionary anger."



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DIRECTOR

MEMORANDUM FOR THE ASSOCIATE ATTORNEY GENERAL

Gilbert G. Pompa
FROM : Gilbert G. Pompa
Director

SUBJECT : Visit to CRS Northwest Regional Office
in Seattle, Washington, by Revolutionary
Communist Party

Shortly before 5:00 p.m. PST, about 25 demonstrators, who identified themselves as members of the Revolutionary Communist Party (RCP), paraded into the CRS regional office in Seattle, Washington, demanding that a message be conveyed to Washington officials of the Department of Justice.

Robert Hughes, Acting Regional Director for the Northwest region, received the message and relayed it to Roscoe Nix, CRS Washington, D.C. duty officer this week. The message is included in the attached memo from Mr. Hughes to me.

At about 8:30 p.m. (EST) I notified Mr. Tom Crockett, Emergency Programs Information Center, regarding the incident.

Attachments

✓ bcc: Thomas Crockett



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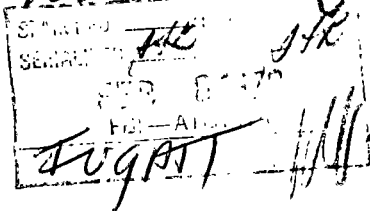
ATTN: Donald W. Moore, Jr.
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FROM: *Tom Crockett*
Thompson S. Crockett
Director
Emergency Programs Center

SUBJ: Visit to CRS Northwest Regional Office in Seattle,
Washington, by Revolutionary Communist Party

The attached material is being forwarded as a matter possibly relating to the security of TENG, who will be visiting the Seattle area where this "communique" was delivered.

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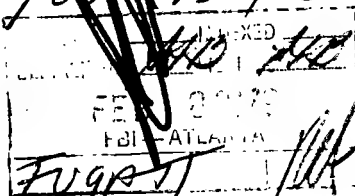
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Enclosed for certain receiving offices are photographs matched to the list of names set out which was furnished by Assistant United States Attorney (AUSA) MARY ELLEN ALBREHT, District of Columbia, on 2/6/79.

A complete set and negatives of 50 each is furnished Chicago as original for control purposes.

Photos not being sent now will be provided interested offices upon receipt at WFO.

Also furnished is a copy of referenced Bureau teletype dated 1/31/79 to divisions not having received it, for background information.

It is noted only 50 photos were furnished WFO by Metropolitan Police Department to date.

The 78 persons named below have been charged in U.S. District Court (USDC), District of Columbia, for Assault on a Police Officer and are to appear in USDC in groups on 2/8, 9, 12 and 13/79.

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WFO report results of court appearances to interested divisions.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (105-184369)

FROM: SAC, WFO (100-49578)

REVOLUTIONARY COMMUNIST PARTY - *100-7809*
 (RCP)
 DOMESTIC SECURITY
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On 2/23/79, Assistant U.S. Attorney (AUSA) MARY ELLEN ALBRECHT telephonically advised 79(NOT 78) subjects still charged at U.S. District Court (USDC), Washington, D.C. (WDC),

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Also, ROBERT D. AVAKIAN is out of jail on \$10,000 surety bond and AUSA ALBRECHT believes the rest of the persons charged are also out on bond.

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AT WASHINGTON, D.C. Will follow and report judicial proceedings.



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Charlotte, North Carolina
January 17, 1979

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IRANIAN STUDENT ASSOCIATION
FOREIGN COUNTERINTELLIGENCE -
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An article entitled, "Anti-Shah Group Plans to Picket Local Port" appeared in the January 3, 1979, issue of the Wilmington Morning Star. It stated a group called the Committee to Support Iranian Liberation had obtained a permit for a march from the Federal Building in Wilmington, to the State Port on February 24, 1979. Later on in the article it states "the Star has learned that the protest is being organized by the Revolutionary Communist Party"(RCP) which it characterized as a "Maoist organization which has been active in the Iranian Student Movement in the U.S." (U)

The article stated that a spokesman for the North Carolina Council of Churches and American Friends Service Committee (AFSC), a Quaker group which has campaigned to end Iranian shipments, said they do not support the local protest. (U)

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"Our position is we're doing other things to change public opinion about the shipments," said WILLIAM RAMSEY, AFSC spokesman. "We don't particularly feel this group can assist us in reaching a broad base of support and we don't feel we can work with this group." (U)

The newspaper article noted that the parade permit was issued to ROBERT SHELTON of 912 Arnette, Durham, for an estimated 100 to 300 marchers. The rain out date for the march is March 3, 1979, according to the permit. (U)

According to Wilmington Police Captain W. M. LEWIS the protest will begin on the steps of the Federal Building on Water Street and proceed by Market Street, Third Street and South Boulevard to the port complex. There the protesters will be allowed to picket the port between noon and 6 P. M. (U)

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On January 5, 1979, Mr. EDWARDS contacted JIM DEXTER, the writer of the above article, for additional details. He could expand little on the article. He had tried to contact ROBERT SHELTON several times unsuccessfully. The AFSC spokesman told DEXTER they declined to join the RCP's march because "they are a radical group", but no plans for violence in connection with this demonstration were mentioned (U).

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Charlotte, North Carolina
February 28, 1979

IRANIAN STUDENT ASSOCIATION
FOREIGN COUNTERINTELLIGENCE - IRAN -
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RE: DEMONSTRATION AT NORTH CAROLINA
STATE PORT AUTHORITY,
WILMINGTON, NORTH CAROLINA,
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In this article, one CHRISTINE O'FLAHARTY of Greensboro, North Carolina, described in the article as a "march organizer" was stated to have made the following comments concerning the march: "The march will be made up of the 'February 24 coalition', being so-named after the date of the march. The coalition will consist of members of the Revolutionary Communist Youth Brigade, Revolutionary Communist Party, The Iranian Student Association, Vietnam Veterans Against the War and the National United Workers Organization. The march will be characterized by 'marked militancy' but not violence. O'FLAHARTY stated, however, that

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"three of the groups in the coalition were involved in the violent demonstrations against the Shah's family in Beverly Hills, California, last month, during which several arrests and some injuries occurred. O'FLAHARTY further stated that they were also involved in demonstrations against China's Vice Premier TENG HSIAO-PING in Washington, D. C., during which demonstration four police officers were injured and 45 demonstrators arrested near the White House. O'FLAHARTY indicated 'these types of actions are very important', but related that the Wilmington demonstrations are not intended to be violent. One of the slogans to be used is 'U. S. Imperialism get our bloody hands off Iran'." (U)

This same article quoted ROBERT SHELDON of Durham, North Carolina, as stating the Wilmington march is necessary to help stop U. S. economic and political dominance of foreign countries. Wilmington was chosen for the demonstration due to the millions of dollars of military and other cargos which pass through the Wilmington port en route to Iran. (U)

The "Wilmington Morning Star" edition of February 23, 1979, contained an article entitled "Port Protestors to Wave Fists, Make Noise", in which article one TIM HOPKINS, an unemployed textile worker from Greensboro, North Carolina, representing the Revolutionary Communist Party, and JOHN BONDOLA, a factory worker from Pottstown, Pennsylvania, described as two organizers of the march, were quoted as stating: "The demonstration is intended to only wave fists and make some noise; leaflets and notices of the demonstration have been distributed in Boston, Tampa at various colleges and factories." (U)

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Captain G. W. DAVIS, supra, advised on February 24, 1979, that the 9:30 press conference scheduled by HOPKINS had been cancelled and the march organizer was at the Federal Building referring people to another location. (U)

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Subsequently the group of approximately 150 to 200 demonstrators were observed arriving near the Federal Building at Wilmington, North Carolina, and began assembling in the parking lot of the Wachovia Bank and Trust Company located across the street. These individuals then demonstrated until approximately 8:00 P.M. when the leaders then conferred for about an hour. TIM HOPKINS, one of the leaders of the demonstration, advised representatives of the Wilmington Police Department approximately 9:00 P.M. on February 24, 1979, that the demonstrators were disbanding and that there would be no march to the Port Authority that night. HOPKINS indicated that part of the group would be leaving Wilmington and a portion would be spending the night in area motels. (U)

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On February 26, 1979, a local news broadcast on Channel 3, WWAY-TV, an American Broadcasting Company affiliate at Wilmington, North Carolina, identified one of the speakers at

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the demonstration as GREG JONES of the Revolutionary Communist Brigade. JONES was stated to have indicated that his group would hold a meeting in Atlanta, Georgia, on the weekend of March 3-4, 1979. (U).

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REVOLUTIONARY STUDENT BRIGADE

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As of November, 1975, the headquarters of the RSB was located in Chicago, Illinois.

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VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR/ WINTER SOLDIER ORGANIZATION (VVAW/WSO)

The VVAW, formed in 1967 by Vietnam veterans to protest U. S. involvement in the war in Southeast Asia (changed name to VVAW/WSO in 1973 to include non-veterans as members), has sponsored numerous anti-government demonstrations, some resulting in violence. The VVAW/WSO National Office (NO) and some key chapters are infiltrated and influenced by the militant Revolutionary Union (RU) organization, and VVAW/WSO leaders have told members that VVAW/WSO is a revolutionary organization, not "just another group of war veterans." The current Marxist-Leninist-Maoist oriented NO, which promotes education of the membership in Marxist-Leninist-Maoist doctrine and directs the organization into political growth along the same lines, has at VVAW/WSO National Steering Committee Meetings (NSCM), in 1974, portrayed VVAW/WSO as a mass anti-imperialist organization and a vanguard of the revolution eventually created by the masses.

VVAW/WSO leaders voted at the December, 1974, NSCM to align VVAW/WSO with the RU, which organization follows a strict Maoist line designed to being about violent revolution in the United States.

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TO: SAC, BIRMINGHAM

FROM: SAC, ATLANTA (100-7809) (Sq. 3)(P)

SUBJECT: REVOLUTIONARY COMMUNIST PARTY (RCP)
DOMESTIC SECURITY
OO: CHICAGO

Re Atlanta airtel to the Bureau, 2/12/79.

For information of Birmingham, LAURENCE ANNE DYCHES, 1971 St. Johns Ave., Atlanta, Georgia, listed as one of those individuals charged in U.S. District Court, District of Columbia, for assault on a police officer, was in the company of other RCP individuals who held a demonstration at Wilmington, N.C., 2/24/79.

Birmingham is requested to forward to Atlanta pertinent background information on DYCHES and last known activities.

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Birmingham, Alabama

September 15, 1976

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RE: LAURENCE ANNE DYCHES
ALSO KNOWN AS
LAURENCE ANNE COE

I. BACKGROUND

A. Residence and Employment

Laurence Anne Dyches resides at 600 4th Street Southwest, Birmingham, Alabama, and is unemployed.

(BH T-1, 7/2/76)

II. ASSOCIATION WITH REVOLUTIONARY COMMUNIST PARTY (RCP)

A characterization of the RCP appears in the Appendix hereto.

A. Membership

As of July 2, 1976, Dyches was a member of the RCP in Birmingham, Alabama.

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LAURENCE ANNE DYCHES

B. Activities

Laurence Dyches was a participant in the July 1 - 4, 1976, demonstration at Philidelphia, Pennsylvania, which was sponsored by the RCP.

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Laurence Anne Dyches is an active and influential member of the Birmingham RCP. She travels extensively as a RCP functionary. She also has significant influence over the policies and activities of the Birmingham RCP.

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SUBJECT SHOULD BE APPROACHED WITH CAUTION SINCE SHE REPORTEDLY POSSESSES A .22 CALIBER PISTOL.

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LEADSJACKSONVILLEAt Tallahassee, Florida:

1. Will verify subject's residence at Cash Hall, Florida State University (FSU).
2. Will ascertain if she is enrolled for the Fall, 1972, semester at FSU.
3. Will conduct appropriate investigation to ascertain subject's activities in the New Left Movement at FSU.

NEW YORKNew York, New York:

Will conduct credit and criminal, indices, and informant checks for any information concerning the subject and her participation in New Left activities while in NYC. It is noted the subject resided at 718 Madison Avenue, NYC,

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and has also resided at her father's residence in Hampton, Long Island, exact address unknown. Subject's father is FRED COE.

PHILADELPHIA

Will through established sources conduct background investigation concerning the subject at Solebury School, New Hope, Pa.

MIAMIAt Ft. Lauderdale, Florida:

1. Will determine when subject returns to Tallahassee.
2. Upon verification of subject's attendance at FSU, will submit FD-128 designating Jacksonville as OO.

ADMINISTRATIVE

This report is classified confidential because it contains information from confidential informants of continuing value, the unauthorized disclosure of which could result in their identification to the detriment of the national defense interest.

No recommendation is being made at this time to include the subject in the security index. No definite information has been received that she is a member of the SDS; although, she did attend one SDS meeting at FSU. At that time she was described as either a SDS member or a strong sympathizer. Leads are presently outstanding to

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conduct additional background information regarding COE and, upon completion of this investigation, consideration will be given to her inclusion in the security index.

INFORMANTS

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Report of: EUGENE J. MC KINNEY Office: Miami, Florida
Date: June 24, 1970

Field Office File: 100-15922 Bureau File #:

Title: LAURENCE ANNE COE

Character: SECURITY MATTERS - ANARCHY
(VENCEREMOS BRIGADE)

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Synopsis:

LAURENCE ANNE COE, a white female, born [REDACTED], went to Cuba as a member of the Venceremos Brigade on 2/13/70 and returned to Canada 4/28/70. Both trips were made on Cuban vessels "Marcos Bergnes". COE attended FSU from 9/69 through [REDACTED] and on 10/18/69 attended meeting of Southern Regional Conference of SDS at FSU. Background of COE set forth in [REDACTED] interviewed 6/18/70 and admitted trip to Cuba as member of Venceremos Brigade and stated her reasons for going coincided with reservation with published statements issued by Venceremos Brigade which she helped write. Interview of COE [REDACTED].

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DETAILSDISSEMINATION

Dissemination in this matter was predicated upon information received from MM T-1 to the effect that LAURANNE

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ANN COE, 2100A N.E. 45th Street, Ft. Lauderdale, Florida, was among a group of individuals who were scheduled to sail from St. John, New Brunswick, Canada, for Cuba on the vessel "Luis Arcos Bergnes" which group was known as Venceremos Brigade.

The Venceremos Brigade, with headquarters in New York City, was begun in the summer of 1969. The purpose of the organization was to arrange travel to Cuba in 1969-70 of 600 Americans, mainly New Left youths, to help harvest an expected record Cuban sugar crop. The first Venceremos Brigade contingent, consisting of 215 individuals, traveled to Cuba in November-December, 1969, and returned in February, 1970, as a second, larger contingent arrived in Cuba. The second contingent returned in April, 1970. A third contingent reportedly may travel to Cuba in July, 1970. During 1969-70, the Venceremos Brigade received enthusiastic support from the Cuban government.

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II. BACKGROUND

Birth Data

LAURENCE ANNE COE in an interview on June 18, 1970, advised that she was born on [REDACTED]

The records of the Passport Agency, U.S. Department of State, indicate that COE was born [REDACTED]

Residence

COE advised in an interview on June 18, 1970,

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that she is residing in Cash Hall, Florida State University (FSU), Tallahassee, Florida. She stated she also resides on occasion while in the Ft. Lauderdale area at her mother's residence, 2100A N.E. 45th Street, Ft. Lauderdale, Florida.

While in New York City she resides at her father's apartment, 718 Madison Avenue, New York City, or at his home in Hampton, Long Island. She declined to furnish the exact address of this home.

Occupation and Employment

COE during an interview on June 18, 1970, advised that she is presently unemployed. She contemplates attending FSU as of September, 1970. She has been employed as a waitress in Tallahassee and has done secretarial work in New York City. She declined to furnish specifics concerning her employment.

Arrest Records

The records of the Ft. Lauderdale, Florida, Police Department were reviewed on March 25, 1970, and contained no information identifiable with LAURENCE ANNE COE.

Education

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LAURENCE ANNE COE, white female, born [REDACTED] [REDACTED] was a student at FSU from September, 1969, to January, 1970. She is not currently enrolled. Her parents shown as FREDERICK HAYDEN HUGHES COE and ALICE COE with permanent address 2100A N.E. 45th Street, Ft. Lauderdale, Florida. Her father's occupation shown as theater and film director and mother as real estate agent. She attended high school at Solebury School, New Hope, Pennsylvania, and Georgetown University, Washington, D.C., September, 1968, to January, 1969. She was enrolled in "Basic Studies" freshman program at FSU, received excellent grades, and there is nothing derogatory in file.

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5/29/70Passport Information

The files of the Passport Office, U.S. Department of State, were reviewed by a representative of the FBI on April 30, 1970, and contained the following information concerning LAURENCE ANNE COE:

Name:	LAURENCE ANNE COE
Passport Number:	K1439571
Date and Place Issued:	August 27, 1969, New York
Permanent Residence:	2100 N.E. 45th Street, Ft. Lauderdale, Florida
Mailing Address:	718 Madison Avenue, New York City, New York, in care of FRED COE, 10021 (phone TE8-3045)
Proposed Departure Date:	August 29, 1969
Proposed Itinerary:	Bermuda
Physical Description:	
Date and Place of Birth:	<div>FOIA b 6</div>
Height:	5'6"
Hair:	Brown
Eyes:	Green
Social Security Number:	<div>FOIA(b) (6)</div>
Occupation:	Student
Identifying Document:	Florida driver's license RH140149
Father's Name:	FREDRICK HAYDEN HUGHES COE
Date and Place of Birth:	December 23, 1914, Alligator, Mississippi
Citizenship:	United States
Mother's Name:	ALICE MARIE GRIGGS
Date and Place of Birth:	July 20, 1916, Yeager, Oklahoma
Citizenship:	United States

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Marital Status: Single
Emergency Notification: ALICE G. COE - mother
2100A N.E. 45th Street
Ft. Lauderdale, Florida

This passport is valid for five years' travel to all countries except Cuba, Mainland China, North Korea, and North Vietnam.

On May 7, 1970, Mr. WILLIE MC NEIL, Domestic Operations Division, Passport Office, advised that captioned individual's passport has not been validated for travel to Cuba.

The file on COE shows previous passport number 798212 issued August 4, 1966, containing the following information:

Mailing Address: 2820 N.E. 49th Street
Ft. Lauderdale, Florida
Purpose of Trip: To attend school - Institute
Montesano, Gstaad, Switzerland,
for school year September, 1966 -
July, 1967

III. NEW LEFT ACTIVITIES

Students for a Democratic Society (SDS)

A characterization for the SDS is contained in the appendix section of this report.

LAURENCE ANNE COE attended the Southern Regional Conference of SDS, FSU, at Tallahassee, Florida, on October 18, 19, 1969. COE is either a member of the FSU SDS Chapter or is a strong sympathizer.

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Venceremos Brigade

On February 9, 1970, Mr. EDWARD LAWLESS, Assistant Superintendent, Greyhound Bus Terminal, Boston, Massachusetts, advised that a group called Ski Masters had scheduled the arrival of several buses into Boston, Massachusetts, beginning with February 9, 1970, and that these buses would then proceed on to St. John, New Brunswick, Canada, approximately February 10 or 11, 1970. He identified the buses arriving as bus number 4353, which originated in Seattle, Washington, to arrive 10 p.m., February 9, 1970; bus number 4420, which he advised originated in San Francisco, to arrive 3:15 p.m., February 9, 1970; bus number 4542, which he said had originated in Madison, Wisconsin, to arrive 11 a.m., February 10, 1970; bus number 4398 originated in Cleveland, Ohio, to arrive Boston 3:45 p.m., February 10, 1970; bus number 4520 from Cleveland, Ohio, to arrive 1:30, February 11, 1970; and bus number 4498 originated in Washington, D.C., to arrive Boston 3:15, February 11, 1970.

On February 11, 1970, Mr. LAWLESS advised that the following named chartered buses were scheduled to leave Boston that date with their destination St. John, New Brunswick, Canada. He advised group chartering the buses was identified only as Ski Masters. He said the reservations originally came from New York, New York, Greyhound Reservation Office.

He advised chartered bus number 4354 scheduled to leave Boston 532 Massachusetts Avenue, Boston at 4:30 p.m.; bus number 4498 to leave Greyhound Bus Terminal, Boston, Massachusetts, 4:50 p.m.; bus number 4370 to leave Harvard Divinity School, Divinity Street, Cambridge, Massachusetts, 5:30 p.m.; bus number 4250 to leave Old West Church, 131 Cambridge Street, Boston, Massachusetts, at 4 p.m.; bus

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number 4236 to leave this same address at 4:30 p.m.; and bus number 4420 to leave this same address at 5 p.m.

On this same date, the Trailways Company Buses numbered 31508 and 31713 were chartered by the Ski Masters group and scheduled to leave the vicinity of Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge, Massachusetts, at 4:30 p.m., on February 11, 1970. The destination of these buses was also St. John, New Brunswick, Canada. The buses left at approximately their scheduled departure times except for bus number 4370, which left at 6:40 p.m. instead of 5:30 p.m. on that date.

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The previously mentioned buses crossed the U. S. border at Calais, Maine, to St. Stephen, Canada, between the hours of 12:01 a.m., February 12, 1970, and 5 a.m., February, 1970. Garden State Transit Bus Line bus number 43, 37, and 82 also crossed the U. S. border at Calais, Maine, to St. Stephen between 1:53 a.m., February 12, 1970, and 5:15 a.m. the same date.

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An article appeared in the February 16, 1970, issue of "Granma" which is the official organ of the Central Committee of the Communist Party of Cuba, Havana, Cuba. This article was captioned "492 More Young Americans En Route Cuba As Second Group of Venceremos Brigade". This article states that at 6:20 p.m. on February 13, 1970, the Cuban ship "Luis Arcos Bergnes" left the port of St. John, Canada, bringing 492 Americans to take part in the work of the ten million sugar crop. These young people, 269 men, and 223 women, are part of the second group of the Venceremos Brigade.

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On April 7, 1970, Mrs. ALICE G. COE, 2100A N.E. 45th Street, Ft. Lauderdale, Florida, was contacted and advised that LAURENCE ANNE COE, her daughter, was not presently in the Ft. Lauderdale, Florida, area. She stated that it is possible she is probably in Cuba harvesting the sugar cane crop.

LAURENCE ANNE COE, U.S. Passport Number A1439579, with residence at 2100A N.E. 45th Street, Ft. Lauderdale, Florida, arrived at St. John, New Brunswick, Canada, at approximately 8 a.m. on April 28, 1970, aboard the Cuban vessel "Luis Arcos Bergnes". COE was a member of the Venceremos Brigade and returned with a group of Venceremos Brigade members.

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On May 12, 1970, Mrs. ALICE G. COE, 2100A N.E. 45th Street, Ft. Lauderdale, Florida, advised that she expects her daughter, LAURENCE ANNE COE, to visit her in Ft. Lauderdale, Florida, sometime on or about Thursday or Friday, May 14 or 15, 1970. She last talked to her daughter telephonically sometime last week, who was staying in New York in care of her father, FRED COE, who can be contacted through telephone number 212-TE8-3045.

Mrs. COE further advised that her daughter had attended Georgetown University where she associated with members of the SDS; however, she believes her daughter is opposed to the Weatherman faction of this organization. She further advised that her daughter had attended school for one quarter in Tallahassee, Florida, but had since dropped out of school.

She is not aware of her daughter going to Cuba to cut sugar cane; however, she does know that her daughter had expressed a desire to travel to Cuba for this purpose.

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Mrs. COE stated that she would cooperate fully with the FBI and would contact the writer if and when her daughter arrives in Ft. Lauderdale, Florida. She further advised that she could be contacted during the evening at her residence telephone number 563-9526, or at her place of employment, Cummings Realty Company, Ft. Lauderdale, Florida, 771-6300.

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LAWRENCE ANNE COE contacted the Ft. Lauderdale Resident Agency of the FBI by telephone on May 14, 1970, in response to previous inquiries at her mother's residence. She indicated she could be contacted at telephone 941-5767 in Ft. Lauderdale.

Miss COE was contacted by SA JOSEPH C. BALL at the above telephone number in an effort to make an appointment to talk with her. After identifying herself, she asked if she was required by law to talk to the FBI and she was told she did not have to talk but was told her cooperation was being solicited in a fugitive matter. She replied she was not staying at her mother's residence but was spending the night with a friend and planned to depart the following early morning and did not care to meet with FBI Agents to discuss any matter.

Miss COE was advised information had been received to the effect that LAWRENCE MICHAEL WEISS and JEFFREY CARL JONES, federal fugitives, were possibly riding in the red Volkswagen bus in which she entered the U.S. during the previous week at Calis, Maine. She was told the Agents would like to meet personally with her to show her photographs of these individuals to determine if they were aboard the bus. She replied that she was not acquainted with anyone on this bus either when she boarded it in Canada or when she left it in the U.S. She denied knowing either WEISS or JONES and stated she did not desire to discuss the matter further.

on 5/14/70 at Ft. Lauderdale, Florida File # Miami 100-3812

by SA JOSEPH C. BALL:kam Date dictated 5/15/70

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On May 25, 1970, LAURENCE COE, a white female and former student at FSU, put on a "slide show" at the Bellamy Building, FSU, which concerned her recent participation in the Venceremos Brigade in Cuba. COE stated the purpose for showing the slides and one of the purposes of Venceremos Brigade was to demonstrate solidarity with the Cuban people by participating in the 1970 ten million ton sugar harvest. COE showed slides of new buildings in Cuba, of students working in the sugar cane fields in Cuba, and indicated that FIDEL CASTRO had appeared at the fields on one occasion. The photographs showed the Brigade in a favorable light. The showing was opened to all students and was believed to have been sponsored by a campus group interested in Women's Liberation. COE had been a student at FSU in the fall of 1969 and her permanent address was listed as 2100A N. E. 45th Street, Fort Lauderdale, Florida. COE is not presently a student at FSU and apparently was visiting there at the university. COE had participated in SDS activities at FSU while a student there.

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On May 25, 1970, a slide show concerning the Venceremos Brigade was shown at FSU; approximately 30 or 45 individuals attended the affair after hearing about it on campus. A young girl spoke favorably of conditions in Cuba and FIDEL CASTRO, stating he was doing many good things for the workers. This young girl showed slides depicting students and workers in the cane fields in Cuba and also of new buildings which she said were hospitals and other facilities for the benefit of the Cuban people. She stated she had recently returned from Cuba where she worked as part of the Venceremos Brigade and wished to inform others of her experiences. She stated there were about 500 students there, one third being black, and indicated there would be another contingent going to Cuba later this year. She appeared sympathetic with the Brigade but naive when depicting only the favorable aspects of Cuba.

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ALICE M. COE, 2190A N.E. 45th Street, Ft. Lauderdale, Florida, advised that she is the mother of LAURENCE ANNE COE. She stated that her daughter has been residing in Tallahassee, however, returned home on May 17, 1970, and plans to spend several days in Ft. Lauderdale, Florida. She stated her daughter did take part in the Venceremos Brigade and went to Cuba to cut sugarcane. She stated she considers her daughter to be confused by her political thinkings but does not believe her to be dangerous or militant or a threat to the internal security of the U.S. She stated her daughter is an extremely brilliant young girl. She speaks French fluently and attended school in Switzerland during her eleventh grade. She attended and graduated from Solebury School in New Hope, Pennsylvania. She is the product of a broken home since Mrs. COE and her husband, WED COE, are divorced and has taken turns living with her mother and father. Mrs. COE stated she cannot explain why or when her daughter first became involved in New Left Movements but believes it was while she was attending Georgetown University in Washington, D.C.

While Mrs. COE was being interviewed, she received a telephone call from LAURENCE COE and advised her that she was presently speaking with an FBI Agent concerning her. She then stated that LAURENCE COE advised her she was returning home immediately and would speak with the FBI Agent personally.

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by SA EDWARD J. MC KIMBY:lma Date dictated 6/24/70

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LAURENCE ANNE COE was interviewed at her residence at 2100A N.E. 45th Street, Ft. Lauderdale, Florida. Miss COE stated that she was advised by her mother that the FBI was inquiring concerning her, was interviewing her mother concerning her, and stated she would prefer answering any questions concerning her activities personally.

COE stated that she was born in [redacted] on [redacted]. She is presently residing in Cash Hall, Florida State University (FSU), Tallahassee, Florida. She has been working part time as a waitress and has done secretarial work in Tallahassee and New York City. She declined to furnish any specific information concerning her place of employment. She stated that she resides occasionally in Ft. Lauderdale with her mother at her mother's residence and that on occasion she has resided in New York City with her father at 718 Madison Avenue, New York City, and at his home in Hampton, Long Island. She would not furnish his specific address in Long Island.

COE advised she has attended Solebury School in New Hope, Pennsylvania, and that she attended school in her junior year in Switzerland. She attended school for one semester at Georgetown University from December, 1968, to January, 1969. She quit school and re-entered college at FSU, Tallahassee, in September, 1969, until January, 1970. COE stated that, while she was a senior at Solebury School, New Hope, Pennsylvania, she visited in Washington, D.C., where she spoke with her Congressman J. HERBERT BULKE, representatives of the State Department, representatives of the Pentagon, and other governmental officials. She made this visit along with 15 or 20 other students of Solebury School. She stated the Solebury School was formerly a Quaker school and, although it no longer is a Quaker school, it continues to have strong Quaker and pacifist leanings. She

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stated she asked numerous questions of the governmental officials that she visited as to how she could help end the war in Vietnam and what she could do for the peace movement. She stated that in effect she was told to go back to school and study and to be grateful that she was fortunate enough to receive an education.

She stated at that time she became disenchanted and began reading and studying about the Vietnam war and the pacifist movement. She described herself as being completely non-political and she has done very little reading in the field of political science. She stated she is not in favor of communism or socialist form of government, however, is desirous of creating a better democracy in the U.S. where the citizenry will become involved and will care about one another. She stated she could be described as a socialist humanist but she could not describe the term.

COE stated she attended Georgetown University inasmuch as she desired to major in language; namely, the Russian language and Georgetown University has an excellent reputation in the language field. She stated, however, that she felt her attendance at Georgetown was a mistake inasmuch as she was not happy there and had to abide by curfews and as a non-Catholic was not happy generally in a Catholic institution. She worked in New York after she left Georgetown University and in September, 1969, enrolled at FSU in Tallahassee, Florida. While at FSU, she read of an announcement that the Venceremos Brigade was recruiting people to go to Cuba to cut sugar cane. She had two contacts with representatives of the Venceremos Brigade which were made by telephone and after the second telephone conversation was accepted provisionally.

She was interviewed in person by a member of the Venceremos Brigade in Atlanta, Georgia, and at that time she was accepted. Miss COE declined to furnish any names of the individuals she contacted in the Venceremos Brigade. She

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stated her reasons for going to Cuba were the same as those stated in the principles of the Venceremos Brigade which have been made public and which she helped to write. She stated she agrees with the public statements issued by the Venceremos Brigade as to the reasons for its existence and its reason for assisting in the sugar cane harvest in Cuba. She agrees with these public statements without reservation, however, would not discuss them or state what these statements were.

Miss COE advised she left for Cuba through Canada on the ship "Luis Arcos Bergnes." While in Cuba, she stated she worked extremely hard and that the day consisted in getting up at approximately 5:30. For breakfast she was led a drink which was half coffee and half milk or cream and breakfast bun. They then either walked or were driven to the fields where they cut sugar cane from approximately 7 o'clock in the morning until 1:30 a.m. or noon. They returned to their camp for lunch and then rested until approximately 2:30 or 3 o'clock. This was done because it is difficult to work in the extreme midday heat in Cuba. They were then returned to the fields and cut cane for another three or four hours and then returned for dinner. She stated the work was extremely difficult, arduous, and tiring. She stated that after dinner many of the Brigade members would gather together; however, she was so tired that she went immediately to bed. She resided in tents with approximately eight or ten other girls. She made the statement that it was the first time she had ever worked that hard and wondered if people worked that hard in the U.S. She stated most of the Brigade members had never engaged in difficult physical labor before. She personally lost 15 pounds while she was there.

COE denied being a member of any organizations, including the Students for a Democratic Society (SDS). She stated, however, that she had participated in several demonstrations at FSU and has carried placards and ran around screaming "stop the war". She stated she was not militant

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and did not believe in violence. She stated, however, that, if she were to receive information that individuals planned to burn or destroy a building, she would attempt to talk these individuals out of this idea but did not know if she would go to proper authorities and advise them of these acts of violence. When it was pointed out that these actions could be described as "uninvolved", she declined to discuss the matter any further.

Miss COE was reminded of her previous conversation she had with an FBI Agent concerning the fact that two federal fugitives; namely, LAWRENCE MICHAEL WFTOS and JEFFREY CARL JONES, previously entered the U.S. with her in a red Volkswagen bus from Canada. Miss COE stated she did not desire to view any photographs of any individuals or to discuss any individuals by name. She did state, however, that she would agree to again meet on June 19, 1970, and would view photographs of numerous federal fugitives who are members of the Weathermen faction of the SDS. At this time she requested that the interview be terminated and it was.

The following description of LAURENCE ANNE COE was obtained through interview and observation:

Name:	LAURENCE ANNE COE
Race:	White
Sex:	Female
Nationality:	American
Date of Birth:	
Place of Birth:	
Height:	5'10"
Weight:	130 pounds
Hair:	Brown
Eyes:	Green
Residence:	600 S.W. 11, FDU, Tallahassee, Florida, and 2100 A N.E. 45th Ave., Ft. Lauderdale, Florida
Citizenship:	United States
Occupation:	waitress, secretary

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Father:

FREDERICK HAYDEN COE
718 Madison Avenue
New York City

Mother:

ALICE G. COE
2100A N.E. 45th Street
Ft. Lauderdale, Florida

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LAURENCE ANNE COE telephonically contacted Ft. Lauderdale Resident Agency of the FBI and stated that she did not desire to meet with the FBI to view photographs, and would not do so under any circumstances and that she did not desire to discuss her activities any further.

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APPENDIX

STUDENTS FOR A DEMOCRATIC SOCIETY

A source has advised that the Students for a Democratic Society (SDS), as presently regarded, came into being at a founding convention held June, 1962, at Fort Huron, Michigan. From an initial posture of "participatory democracy" the line of the national leadership has revealed a growing Marxist-Leninist adherence which currently calls for the building of a revolutionary youth movement. Concurrently, the program of SDS has evolved from civil rights struggles to an anti-Vietnam war stance to an advocacy of a militant anti-imperialist position. China, Vietnam and Cuba are regarded as the leaders of worldwide struggles against United States imperialism whereas the Soviet Union is held to be revisionist and also imperialist.

At the June, 1969, SDS National Convention, Progressive Labor Party (PLP) forces in the organization were expelled. As a result, the National Office (NO) group maintained its National Headquarters at 1608 West Madison Street, Chicago, and the PLP faction set up headquarters in Cambridge, Massachusetts. This headquarters subsequently moved to Boston. Each group elected its own national officers, which include three national secretaries and a National Interim Committee of eight. Both the NO forces and the PLP forces claim to be the true SDS. Both groups also print their versions of "New Left Notes" which sets forth the line and the program of the particular faction. The NO version of "New Left Notes" was recently printed under the title "The Fire Next Time" to achieve a broader mass appeal.

Two major factions have developed internally within the NO group, namely, the Weatherman or Revolutionary Youth Movement (RYM) I faction, and the RYM II faction. Weatherman is action-oriented upholding Castro's position that the duty of revolutionaries is to make revolution. Weatherman is regarded by RYM II as an adventurist, elitist faction which denies the historical role of the working class as the base for revolution. RYM II maintains that revolution, although desired, is not possible under present

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conditions, hence emphasizes organizing and raising the political consciousness of the working class upon whom they feel successful revolution depends. Although disclaiming control and domination by the Communist Party, USA, leaders in these two factions have in the past proclaimed themselves to be communists and to follow the precepts of a Marxist-Leninist philosophy, along pro-Chinese communist lines.

A second source has advised that the PLP faction which is more commonly known as the Worker Student Alliance is dominated and controlled by members of the PLP, who are required to identify themselves with the pro-Chinese Marxist-Leninist philosophy of the PLP. They advocate that an alliance between workers and students is vital to the bringing about of a revolution in the United States.

SDS regions and university and college chapters, although operating under the outlines of the SDS National Constitution, are autonomous in nature and free to carry out independent policy reflective of local conditions. Because of this autonomy internal struggles reflecting the major factional interests of SDS have occurred at the chapter level since the beginning of the 1969-70 school year.

A characterization of PLP is attached.

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APPENDIX

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PROGRESSIVE LABOR PARTY (PLP),
Progressive Labor Movement (PLM),
Progressive Labor
Miami, Florida

On October 30, 1964, a source advised the Progressive Labor Movement (PLM) Chapter in Miami was formed in April or May of 1964, and is an affiliate of the National PLM, which is located in New York City.

On May 16, 1966, this source advised that the Miami Chapter of the PLM is no longer in existence.

"The New York Times" issue of April 20, 1965, Page 27, reported a new part of "revolutionary socialism" was formally founded on April 18, 1965, under the name of the Progressive Labor Party (PLP). The PLP was described as an outgrowth of the PLM, and MILTON ROSEN, the Movement's Chairman, was elected President of the new Party.

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Title LAURENCE ANNE COE, also known as
Lauranne Ann Coe,
Laurie

Character SECURITY MATTERS - ANARCHY
(VENCEREMOS BRIGADE)

Reference Report at Miami, Florida, dated
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All sources (except any listed below) whose identities
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 FROM: SAC, BIRMINGHAM (100-5970) (P)
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 DOMESTIC SECURITY
 OO: CHICAGO

Re Atlanta airtel to Birmingham dated 3/12/79.

Enclosed for information of Atlanta are the following items from Birmingham case captioned, LAURENCE ANNE DYCHES, SM - RCP, Birmingham file 100-6405.

1. One photograph of LAURENCE ANN DYCHES with description.
2. One xerox copy of Miami report of SA EUGENE J. MCKINNEY dated 6/24/70.
3. One xerox copy of Birmingham LHM dated 9/15/76.

LAURENCE ANN DYCHES last known address in Birmingham, Alabama was 600 4th Street, S. W., where she resided with her husband, WALDRON HAYNE DYCHES. Both were active in the RCP while residing in the Birmingham area, and both traveled extensively to RCP functions.

Enclosed LHM reflects last known activity of the DYCHES' while residing in Birmingham, Alabama.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (105-184369)
FROM: SAC, PHILADELPHIA (100-50645)(SQ12)(RUC)
SUBJECT: REVOLUTIONARY COMMUNIST PARTY (RCP) - 100-7809
DOMESTIC SECURITY
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Re Bureau teletype to Atlanta dated 1/31/79 and
WFO airtel to Bureau dated 2/12/79.

[redacted] who has furnished reliable information
in the past regarding Communist Party activities in the
Philadelphia area, was contacted regarding captioned matter
on 2/15, 2/23 and 3/8/79. Asset advised that the RCP has
no base in the Philadelphia area. Asset said the RCP is
led by ROBERT AVAKIAN. Recently there has been a split over
the recent power struggle within the Communist Party of

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China. The RCP has broken with the Chinese Line and have condemned the new leaders of China. They support the Gang of Five (i.e. the gang of 4 plus MAO). Most of the members are young adults. Most of them were once members of the Students for a Democratic Society (SDS). There is not a large membership. Their major base of operation is Atlanta, Ga. They are also very active in Southern California.

A review of Philadelphia files determined that no former sources in the Philadelphia Division familiar with the RCP are in a position to furnish any information regarding the RCP.

Philadelphia indices contain no identifiable information concerning AARON JOSEPH LEONARD. [redacted] was unable to provide any information regarding LEONARD.

In view of the above, Philadelphia does not recommend reopening its RCP chapter, and UACB is conducting no further investigation regarding the RCP and is placing this case in an RUC status.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (105-184369)
FROM: SAC, ATLANTA (100-7809)(RUC)(SQUAD 3)
SUBJECT: REVOLUTIONARY COMMUNIST PARTY (RCP)
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ReButel to Atlanta 1/31/79 and WFO airtel to Bureau
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Contact with Sgt. LASALLE SMITH, Special Investigative Section, Intelligence Division, Atlanta PD, and Det. H. G. WAGNER, Intelligence Division, DeKalb County PD, Decatur, Ga., since 2/13/79 has indicated there is no large membership of RCP in the Atlanta metropolitan area, the only individuals known to be connected with RCP being the same few that have been in the area the past few years, namely, the MORIs (MARK WAGGONER MORI, Bufile 100-467387, Atfile 100-7915; and JANE ELIZABETH MORI, Bufile 100-480348, Atfile 100-7900); SABEL (SARAH JANE ELIZABETH LIFFLANDER SABEL, Bufile 100-467081, Atfile 100-8719); and FRANCIS (MILLER INGRAM FRANCIS, JR., Bufile 105-263091, Atfile 100-8205). The information they have is there has been no active recruiting on behalf of RCP and that during the visit by Vice-Premier TENG HSIAO-PING, People's Republic of China (PRC), to Atlanta February, 1979, any activity of

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demonstrating of a group nature by the RCP was noticeably lacking among the many groups participating in demonstrations.

LASALLE stated that the group has concerned itself mainly during the past year with posters and graffiti of a pro-Maoist (MAO TSE-TUNG) memorial.

It is noted that of those arrested in Washington, D. C., 1/29/79 as set out in reWFOairtel 2/12/79, Atlanta has closed files on the following: JANE ELIZABETH MORI, SARAH JANE ELIZABETH LIFFLANDER SABEL, MILLER FRANCIS INGRAM (files set out above), DIANE ESTHER GOODMAN MONROE (ATfile 100-9163).

WALDRON HAYNES DYCHES and LAURENCE ANNE DYCHES had been the subjects of Birmingham Division, BHfiles 100-6404 and 100-6405, and reportedly moved to Atlanta in 1977. Atlanta has no main files.

Atlanta indices contain no information identifiable with MOHAMMAD NEMATI, ALI AHWAZI, WILL MONROE, LINDA LOU PFUETZ, JAMES RUSSELL SABEL, ALI SHOGAE, ALBERT AZAD, DENNIS FEAR or a TIMOTHY LANG HOPKINS.

A review of Atlanta files determined that no former sources in the Atlanta Division formerly familiar with RCP are in a position to furnish any information regarding RCP.

In view of the above, Atlanta does not recommend a continued investigation of the RCP in Atlanta or of the individuals connected with same due to a lack of current investigative criteria. Therefore, UACB, Atlanta is conducting no further investigation regarding RCP and placing instant case in RUC status.

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RE WASHINGTON FIELD TEL DATED JANUARY 30, 1979.

ON MAY 22, 1979, ASSISTANT U.S. ATTORNEY (AUSA) MARY ELLEN ABRECHT WAS CONTACTED REGARDING STATUS OF 69 PERSONS ARRESTED DURING JANUARY 30, 1979, DEMONSTRATION.

AUSA ABRECHT STATED ALL ARE STILL CHARGED BUT NONE HAVE BEEN INDICTED.

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To: SAC, Washington Field (100-49578)

From: Director, FBI (105-184369)

REVOLUTIONARY COMMUNIST PARTY (RCP);
DOMESTIC SECURITY
OO: Chicago

Re Washington Field teletype dated 1/30/79.

The referenced communication detailed the illegal activities by the RCP during its demonstration on 1/30/79, in Washington, D.C. Washington Field advised 69 individuals were arrested by the Metropolitan Police Department on charges of rioting. Additionally, Assistant United States Attorney Terry Russell, Deputy Director, Superior Court Operations, indicated at that time that he was considering charges of assault on a police officer against all those arrested.

Washington Field should immediately ascertain the disposition of the criminal charges lodged against those arrested and immediately advise the offices who were recipients of the referenced teletype concerning the present status of the charges.

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TO DIRECTOR FBI (105-184369) PRIORITY

ATTN: (INTELLIGENCE AND CRIMINAL DIVISIONS)

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FOR INFORMATION OF RECIPIENTS, JAMES J. NELSON,
GREGORY T. FORD, CURTIS J. MOHN, JAMES EDWIN LOUDERMILK
AND MARK W. JACKSON, ALSO KNOWN AS THE "EMBASSY 5", ARE
SCHEDULED TO APPEAR FOR TRIAL IN U.S. DISTRICT COURT,
WASHINGTON, D.C. (WDC), ON JUNE 11, 1979, 10:00 A.M.
SUBJECTS ARE BEING TRIED ON VARIOUS CRIMINAL CHARGES STEMMING
FROM THEIR ARREST IN WDC ON JANUARY 24, 1979, AND SUBSEQUENT
INDICTMENT BY A FEDERAL GRAND JURY. SUBJECTS WERE ARRESTED
SHORTLY AFTER AN INCIDENT WHICH OCCURRED AT THE FORMER
LIAISON OFFICE OF THE PEOPLE'S REPUBLIC OF CHINA (LOPRC),

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WDC. PREVIOUS INVESTIGATION DISCLOSED THAT THE REVOLUTIONARY COMMUNIST PARTY (RCP) IS IN FULL SUPPORT OF THE SUBJECTS.

RCP HAS ORGANIZED DEMONSTRATIONS, MARCHED IN BEHALF OF THE SUBJECTS AND INDICATED ITS APPROVAL OF INCIDENT AT LOPRC, JANUARY 24, 1979. RCP MEMBERS ALSO APPEARED AT U.S. DISTRICT COURT, WDC, DURING PAST COURT PROCEEDINGS FOR SUBJECTS.

ON JUNE 7, 1979, SERGEANT PAUL CHESSEY, INVESTIGATIVE SERVICES DIVISION, METROPOLITAN POLICE DEPARTMENT (MPD), ADVISED THAT HE RECENTLY RECEIVED A LEAFLET, CAPTIONED "FIGHT TO FREE THE MAO TSE-TUNG DEFENDANTS - HOLD HIGH THE BANNER OF REVOLUTION" THE LEAFLET CALLED FOR SUPPORT OF THE "EMBASSY 5", REQUESTED RECIPIENTS TO JOIN THE COMMITTEE TO FREE THE MAO TSE-TUNG DEFENDANTS, PACK THE COURT ROOMS AND BUILD THE DEMONSTRATION ON JUNE 11, 1979. CONTACT TELEPHONE NUMBERS WERE REFLECTED AS 638-9769 (WASHINGTON) AND 467-2412 (BALTIMORE).

RCP TAKES MARXIST-LENINIST MAO TSE-TUNG FEELINGS AS THEORETICAL BASIS AS GUIDE FOR THINKING. BASIC PROGRAM OF PARTY IS THE OVERTHROW OF BOURGEOISIE, ESTABLISHMENT OF

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DICTATORSHIP OF PROLETARIAT AND THE TRIUMPH OF SOCIALISM
OVER CAPITALISM. ULTIMATE AIM OF PARTY IS THE REALIZATION
OF COMMUNISM.

MPD, FEDERAL PROTECTIVE SERVICE (FPS), U.S. MARSHALL
SERVICE, AND UNITED STATES ATTORNEY'S OFFICE (USA) COGNIZANT.
UNITED STATES SECRET SERVICE BEING ADVISED.

ADMINISTRATIVE:

RE WASHINGTON FIELD AIRTEL TO BUREAU DATED MAY 24, 1979,
NO COPIES FURNISHED OTHER RECIPIENTS.

RECEIVING FIELD DIVISIONS SHOULD IMMEDIATELY CANVASS
INFORMANTS AND ESTABLISHED SOURCES FOR INFORMATION PERTAINING
TO RCP DEMONSTRATION, WDC, JUNE 11, 1979, AND IMMEDIATELY
FURNISH POSITIVE RESULTS TO WASHINGTON FIELD.

WASHINGTON FIELD WILL MAINTAIN LIAISON WITH MPD, AND
FEDERAL LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES INVOLVED AND REPORT PERTINENT
INFORMATION TO THE BUREAU.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Baltimore, Maryland

In Reply, Please Refer to
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June 18, 1979

DEMONSTRATION BY MEMBERS OF THE REVOLUTIONARY
COMMUNIST PARTY, MAY DAY CELEBRATION AT WASHINGTON,
D.C., MAY 5, 1979

This document is classified "Confidential" in its entirety.

The Revolutionary Communist Party (RCP) (See Appendix), the Revolutionary Communist Youth (RCY), the National United Workers Organization (NUWO), the Unemployed Workers Organizing Committee (UWOC) and the Vietnam Veterans Against the War (VVAW) (See Appendix) and hundreds of their followers held a demonstration at the U.S. State Department, 320 21st Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. A march was held in a black ghetto neighborhood in the vicinity of T and 6th and 7th Streets, N.W., and speeches were made in the Howard Theatre on T & 6th Streets. Bob Avakain, the General Secretary of the RCP, made the key address.

NUWO and the UWOC are front groups of
the Revolutionary Communist Party (RCP)
(See appendix) attached hereto and thereby
subscribes and follows the ideologies and
policies of the RCP.

Source stated approximately 300 demonstrators were at the State Department rally, and the number of demonstrators grew constantly. Throughout the day, from 10:00 a.m. until after 7:00 p.m., many speakers spoke, and each one had as his or her central theme, "We must lead a revolution and overthrow the Capitalists by force, by blood, by armed struggle and smash the Capitalist State apparatus, and all goods and means of production will be taken over by the people."

At the State Department at least two speakers advised that "The Pigs didn't want to give us a permit but we took the issue to the people and the Pigs were forced to give us a permit."

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Source advised about 11:30 a.m., the demonstrators left the State Department area in cars and buses. Their vehicles bore revolutionary slogans on banners. With horns blowing, they drove to the Howard Theatre, where they disembarked and formed in a marching line. They marched about six-seven abreast and with about 130 to 150 rows which equalled about 1,000 marchers.

Source stated the leading groups were youth in their early teens, about 11 to 13 years of age. Several of them carried rifles. The main contingent of marchers were the Revolutionary Communist Youth Brigade. All wore red jackets and black berets. They were disciplined in their march. The remaining groups represented their respective cities.

Source related that some RCP members came to Washington, D.C. about ten days before the demonstration and helped the Washington, D.C. RCP members to contact people in the neighborhood of the march. They distributed red flags and revolutionary literature, and asked the neighborhood people, all black, to come to and march in the demonstration. Many neighborhood people joined in the march, and hundreds watched. There were masses of red flags and revolutionary banners held by the marchers.

Source advised that at 3:00 p.m. the marchers lined up and went into the Howard Theatre. Selected RCP members entered first and acted as security guards; then the marchers went in. All bags and packages were searched. Security guards remained in the aisles and at all entrances throughout the entire meeting. When Bob Avakian, General Secretary of the RCP, spoke, four security guards stood on the stage to protect him. Source stated it reminded him of pictures he had seen where Storm Troopers were protecting Nazi leaders in Germany.

Source stated a black man with bushy hair and full beard was chairman of this meeting. He was referred to as Karl Dix.

Among the statements Dix said were, "The Capitalists are scared of this march because they know we are going to lead the people some day to end this blood soaked Capitalist rule once and for all. The alternative of living under these Capitalist blood suckers is a revolution to overthrow them by force and let their blood flow. Comrade Avakian will speak later on how we will prepare to make a revolution in this country."

Dix ended his speech saying, "We have a big task ahead of us and that is to educate people to overthrow the Capitalists by revolutionary force and we, the people, will take over." His remarks brought a tremendous ovation and applause from the approximately 1,000 people attending.

Source related a member of the Vietnam Veterans Against the War stated he and another member had been in the U. S. Senate Gallery. They yelled revolutionary slogans and threw revolutionary leaflets down onto the Senate floor.

Source stated four or five speakers spoke prior to Avakain, who spoke from 5:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m. The audience had been informed to give Comrade Avakain their undivided attention.

The following are some of the statements Avakain made:

"We are in the period of mass rebellion in which we agitate people on the streets and in the factories and encourage activities like against the Shah of Iran where he was in D.C., and against Tang when he was in D.C. When we consider the time is ripe, we will pass from mass rebellion to mass armed revolution. Revolution is mandatory, and we've got to have it. We will rise up and wipe those Capitalists and their lackeys out." Tremendous applause.

"These Capitalist vampires who suck the blood of the people had their fascist police beat up on a 16-year old black youth named Terrance Johnson. And when in the struggle, he shot those two bastards dead. It was a great act and a fitting reward for them." The thousand people present all came to their feet and screamed and applauded for about a full minute.

"The Law of profit must be destroyed. The Capitalists say they want to bring back the draft. Then they will give us guns, and like in Iran, we will turn those guns against them. Yes, we will turn these against you Capitalists. We will be among the soldiers and revolutionize them to kill their officers and also the Capitalist owners of large properties. You Capitalists, our guns will be just as good as yours.

"We are living now under wage slavery, and we will break our chains and smash them against their Capitalist heads.

"This lousey Capitalist system of over production, unemployment in which the people are denied what they fully produce will not die by its own accord, but must be killed by revolution, and we will become the masters over those blood suckers. We will take up guns, take up arms and overthrow Capitalism and establish the rule of the working class over this predatory beast of Capitalism.

"This system of winos and dope is the future Capitalism and we will tear it down. We will use guns to sweep them out of the way and to have a better life for all. We must use revolutionary education and activity to do away with this garbage under Capitalism and then we will have a better life.

"The Capitalists control the means of production, and we must smash their power forever, and this means we will smash their discrimination and exploitation.

"Our army will come from the masses and I am saying to you Capitalists, we're going to get the guns from you and some of your army will come over to us. And if the officers fly in planes against us, we'll learn how to shoot down those planes. Because the people under our leadership will rise up, how will this be accomplished? We will educate the millions of people and then they will rise up in revolution. The contradictions of the Capitalist system will create these conditions. These millions will need leadership and the working class lead by the RCP will supply this leadership. And that Ugly Bitch, the Statue of Liberty, will not be our symbol anymore.

"Capitalism, your windows will rattle and your house will be burned down. And the RCP is that force that will lead the United Front against you.

"This is not the period for revolution but is the period for the preparing for revolution. We get material of the RCP into the prisons in this country so the prisoners can study and prepare for revolution. We have to do hard things while preparing and organizing for the revolution, and we must strengthen the working class and the RCP to lead the revolution. Our class of wage slaves must make a revolution and it can be done.

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"The next May Day is 1980 and will be huge. There will be no work and no school, as the workers and students will celebrate May Day. Our revolution some day will be successful and we will get rid of these Capitalist dogs forever."

Avakain was given a tremendous standing ovation at the completion of his speech.

Source related that those who attended the above rally represented the following cities:

Atlanta, Boston, Chicago, Cleveland, Detroit, Pittsburgh and Washington, D.C.

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APPENDIX

REVOLUTIONARY COMMUNIST PARTY, USA .

On October 1, 1975, the Revolutionary Union (RU) publicly announced the formation of the Revolutionary Communist Party of USA (RCP). The RU, a militant semi-covert Marxist-Leninist revolutionary organization ideologically oriented towards the People's Republic of China and the teachings of Chairman MAO Tse-tung, had as one of its main objectives, the founding of the RCP, and with the announcement of the formation of the RCP, the RU, as an organization, dissolved. Membership in the RCP is composed primarily of individuals who had previously been members of the RU.

The RCP has published a booklet entitled "Programme and Constitution of the Revolutionary Communist Party, USA." This booklet states "The programme is both a declaration of war on the ruling class and a battle plan for the working class of this country. The central task of the Revolutionary Communist Party today, as the Party of the U. S. working class, is to build the struggle, class consciousness and revolutionary unity of the working class, and develop its leadership on a broad united front against the U. S. imperialists... This means the masses of workers must rise in arms, forcibly smash and dismantle the armed forces and political apparatus of the bourgeoisie and create in their place the organs of power of the armed working class."

The Constitution of the RCP states "The Revolutionary Communist Party takes Marxism-Leninism, MAO Tse-tung thought as the theoretical basis guiding its thinking. The basic programme of the Revolutionary Communist Party is the complete overthrow of the bourgeoisie, the establishment of the dictatorship of the proletariat in place of the dictatorship of the bourgeoisie and the triumph of socialism over capitalism. The ultimate aim of the Party is the realization of communism."

Members of the RU, the predecessor and founder of the RCP, have been identified as collecting weapons while engaging in firearms and guerrilla warfare training. The RCP is headquartered in Maywood, Illinois, and utilizes the same mailing address as was utilized by the RU.

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REVOLUTIONARY COMMUNIST YOUTH

The Revolutionary Communist Youth (RCY) is the youth group of the Spartacist League (SPL). It was formed in September, 1971, and is currently headquartered in New York City. It propagandizes the beliefs of the SPL among the youth and is the main source of recruitment into the SPL. The SPL is a Trotskyist-communist organization whose objective is the overthrow of the present capitalist system of government in the U. S. and the institution of a dictatorship of the working class.

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VIETNAM VETERANS AGAINST THE WAR/ WINTER SOLDIER ORGANIZATION (VVAW/WSO)

The VVAW, formed in 1967 by Vietnam veterans to protest United States involvement in the war in Southeast Asia (changed name to VVAW/WSO in 1973 to include non-veterans as members), has sponsored numerous anti-government demonstrations, some resulting in violence. The VVAW/WSO National Office (NO) and some key chapters are infiltrated and influenced by the militant Revolutionary Union (RU) organization, and VVAW/WSO leaders have told members that VVAW/WSO is a revolutionary organization, not "just another group of war veterans." The current Marxist-Leninist-Maoist oriented NO, which promotes education of the membership in Marxist-Leninist-Maoist doctrine and directs the organization into political growth along the same lines, has at VVAW/WSO National Steering Committee Meetings (NSCM), in 1974, portrayed VVAW/WSO as a mass anti-imperialist organization and a vanguard of the revolution eventually created by the masses.

VVAW/WSO leaders voted at the December, 1974 NSCM to align VVAW/WSO with the RU, which organization follows a strict Maoist line designed to bring about violent revolution in the United States.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, BALTIMORE (100-34293) - RUC -

SUBJECT: DEMONSTRATION BY MEMBERS OF THE
 REVOLUTIONARY COMMUNIST PARTY,
 MAY DAY CELEBRATION AT WASHINGTON, D.C.
 May 5, 1979
 DOMESTIC SECURITY
 (OO: WFO)

Re Baltimore teletype to the Bureau, 5/3/79. (U)

This communication is classified
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Enclosed for the Bureau are the original and
 five (5) copies of an LHM pertaining to captioned subject. (U)

Confidential source mentioned in LHM is
 [] who was contacted by SA RONALD HENRY SCHMIDT. (U)

Information copies of LHM are being furnished
 to offices from which informant indicated had representa-
 tion at the above demonstration. (U)

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Buffalo, New York 14202

May 29, 1979

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REVOLUTIONARY COMMUNIST PARTY

IDENTITY

The Revolutionary Communist Party (RCP) in the Buffalo Division has chapters in Buffalo and Rochester, New York. The organization maintains a Post Office Box in both cities for contact purposes and has an office space, called Buffalo Workers Center, in Buffalo, New York. The Buffalo group uses telephone number (716) 895-6561 and the Rochester group uses telephone number (716) 482-6142. Some activities are jointly sponsored by the National United Workers Organization (NUWO) and the RCP.

ORIGIN

Information was first received in January, 1973, regarding a Post Office Box being utilized at that time in Rochester, New York, for the Revolutionary Union, which later changed its name to the RCP. This was the first apparent activity of this organization within the Buffalo Division and activity continued through September 28, 1977, at which time the case was closed due to the fact that the overall objectives of the organization appeared to be legitimate and non-violent, thus continued investigation could not be supported under the Domestic Security Guidelines.

Information has been received periodically from Buffalo Police Department sources since the time the case was closed which indicated that the organization has remained active in the Buffalo Division from the time it was closed in September of 1977, until the time investigation was reinstituted based on referenced teletype.

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OFFICERS

Specific identities and titles of officers are not known at this time. It should be noted, however, that the Post Office Box utilized by the Buffalo chapter and telephone number used for contact purposes are both listed to ROBERT STAUBER, who has also acted as a public spokesman for the NUWO. ALEXANDER KOCHKIN appears to be a student leader of the NUWO at State University of New York at Buffalo (SUNYAE). The Post Office Box and telephone number utilized for contact purposes in Rochester, New York, are both listed to ALLEN GRIECO.

MEMBERSHIP

Total membership for the RCP, including chapters in Buffalo and Rochester, New York, appear to be approximately 20. It should be noted that it has been determined on several occasions that members travel between the two cities to support marches, demonstrations and special events being held, thereby making their ranks to appear as large as possible.

PUBLICATION

The Upstate New York chapters of the RCP, which includes Buffalo and Rochester, continue to utilize a newspaper called "The Worker." In the January-February, 1979, issue, it was announced that beginning with the next issue of this paper, its name will be changed to "Revolutionary Worker" and "the fact that it is the voice of the Revolutionary Communist Party, USA, will be clearly and proudly announced from its masthead."

AIMS AND PURPOSES

The aims and purposes of the organization have been expressed in "The Worker" during the past few years that it has been the official publication of the organization in the Buffalo Division. It states that "it exists to build the struggle of the working class against the capitalist system of exploitation and oppression ... to help develop that struggle into a class conscious fight at the head of all the oppressed against this system and for its overthrow and replacement by Socialism and eventually classless society, Communism.

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CONNECTIONS WITH OTHER ORGANIZATIONS

The RCP is not known to have ties with any other organizations other than the NUWO, which it is believed is being utilized as a front group by RCP.

FOREIGN INFLUENCE

None known.

SUMMARY OF ACTIVITY

The tone of recent activities which are taking place in the RCP in the Buffalo Division is properly set by the following statement from the January-February, 1979, issue of "The Worker" where the organization is explaining the reason it is changing the title of the newspaper to "Revolutionary Worker." This statement is as follows:

"Why add 'Revolutionary' to the name of our paper? We aim to make it crystal clear where we're coming from. If we were not for the goal of revolution, then this paper and this Party would have no reason to exist. There are a thousand poverty pimps and petty reformers running around preaching about how the system can be patched up. Who needs one more?

"We believe, as Mao Tse Tung said, that we must 'cast-away illusions and prepare for struggle.' This paper will aim to puncture the lies and help peel off the illusions that their system encrusts us with.

"We believe that a thousand events every day show the rottenness of this system and the need for revolution. We will be on top of them, laying bare the ugly hand of Capitalism behind them all and pointing to the overall reactionary and death-bound character of this system that we need to hasten along to its grave."

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On February 14, 1979, Source 1, who has furnished reliable information in the past, advised that during the Fall, 1978, term at SUNYAB, a strike took place involving the Bluebird Bus Lines, which company is utilized to transport students to various parts of the campus. He stated that the RCP was publicly involved in the activities surrounding the strike and that on November 13, 1978, ALEXANDER KOCHKIN, believed to be a member of this organization, was arrested, after he "trashed" one of the Bluebird buses.

In February, 1979, a leaflet was anonymously mailed to the Buffalo Office of the Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) regarding a situation which was taking place at Ford Stamping Plant, Hamburg, New York, and which involved an incident which had occurred in the plant cafeteria wherein individuals identifying themselves as Auto Workers United to Fight had gotten up on tables in the cafeteria and tried to encourage workers to support overthrow of Capitalism in this country. The leaflet states that "Bob Stauber is a revolutionary communist ... he has joined and helped lead the struggles of workers with the aim of building the struggle and unity of the working class to overthrow the Capitalist's slave system and establish worker's rule, Socialism." On March 29, 1979, FRANK CRONIN, Industrial Relations, Ford Stamping Plant, advised SA CHARLES P. AHART that the incident referred to in the above leaflet had almost caused a major riot in the plant cafeteria because many workers were highly incensed that "Communists" would be permitted to preach in this way on plant premises. CRONIN stated that as a result of this incident, STAUBER was disciplined, leading him to file charges with the National Labor Relations Board (NLRB) in Buffalo, New York. CRONIN stated that NLRB upheld STAUBER and all disciplinary measures had to be removed from his record.

On March 1, 1979, Source 2, who has furnished reliable information in the past, furnished a leaflet captioned "Youth - Its Right to Rebel" which he stated was distributed at four Buffalo area high schools calling on high school students to attend a slide show on the "Moody Park Three" which was to be held at the Buffalo Workers Center on March 1, 1979. Source 2 further stated that the rhetoric in this leaflet was quite violent in tone and included the following statement as to events which had occurred in Houston, Texas, regarding the Moody Park incident: "The Revolutionary Communist Youth Brigade contingent, all in red jackets, marched past in step. They swung three foot

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long wooden sticks in a drill. Many other marchers had thick sticks. If the cops attacked, blood would not flow just one way." Source 2 advised that this leafleting of Buffalo high schools was apparently unsuccessful, as no students are known to have attended the meeting. He stated, however, that Buffalo school officials were duly concerned because of the above statement and other statements advocating violence which were contained in this leaflet and could have the possibility of influencing impressionable youths.

On April 2, 1979, two Special Agents from the Buffalo FBI Office attended a Career Day held at the SUNYAB Law School, Amherst, New York. After their presentation, ALEXANDER KOCHKIN who was known by one of the Special Agents from previous observation of photographs of him, crumbled up several of the signs advertising the presence of the Agents on the campus and threw them to the ground. He behaved in a hostile manner and announced in a loud voice that representatives of the FBI were not welcomed on the campus and that in the future, the FBI would cease to exist. KOCHKIN continued to follow the Agents as they were preparing to leave the Law School Building. Although it was not felt that his actions or statements represented a threat, he was obviously hostile to the Agents and gave the impression that he was attempting to stir up a crowd reaction to their appearance on the campus.

On April 3, 1979, ROBERT STAUBER, representing the RCP, and MICHAEL UNDERWOOD, representing the NUWO, appeared on the John Otto Show, a night-time talk show on WGR Radio. During the course of this show, a discussion arose as to the efficacy of police in minority communities. STAUBER stated that the police do no good in minority communities and said "there's a common expression in the community. It's if you got a problem, call a cop, you got two problems." Later in the program, he further advised that the Black Panthers in the 60's had referred to police as pigs. He stated that they were criticized for this, but that they were correct because police are animals and should be called pigs. In another part of the program, Mr. OTTO stated that the possible success of the RCP would lead to expropriation, blood, death, fire and destruction on the day of the great Socialist Revolution that they are working for. In commenting on this statement, STAUBER advised "the RCP is a party of the

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working class. It's a party of revolution. It's a party that says that it's inevitable one day that the working people will rise up, that there's no way to work it out. I mean there's just no amiable terms that we meet the capitalists on." Later in the program, in elaborating on the aims and objectives of the RCP, STAUBER stated "these conditions of crisis is deepening and driving people up against a wall, a little bit at a time, but when the thing dropped out in 74 and 75, and there was a whole bunch of us out in the streets, it caused a lot of people to question what the hell is this system about, it's gonna throw us out in the street when they can't make money, and the way it comes down on minority peoples I think we can see in a real big way and I believe that one thing that we have said is the 80's is gonna bring forth hellified rebellion in this country."

On April 6, 1979, Source 2 advised that on April 5, 1979, MICHAEL UNDERWOOD, MICHAEL STEIN and GARY JANIGA were arrested at Ford Stamping Plant, Hamburg, New York, following an incident which occurred wherein they were distributing leaflets on behalf of the National United Workers Organization at the plant. When asked to stop blocking entrances to the plant, the three individuals entered their vehicle and proceeded to strike two plant security guards with the vehicle as they were leaving the premises. The three individuals were arrested on a variety of charges, including Wreckless Endangerment and Criminal Trespass. Interviewed by the "Buffalo Evening News" on April 14, 1979, MICHAEL UNDERWOOD stated that he and his two companions were representing the NUWO, which group is aligned with the RCP.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, ATLANTA (100-7809)

DATE: 6/22/79

FROM : SAC, BUFFALO (100-11097)

SUBJECT: REVOLUTIONARY COMMUNIST PARTY (RCP)
DS-RCP
(OO: CHICAGO)

Re Bureau airtel to Buffalo, 6/11/79.

Enclosed for each recipient office are two copies of an LHM dated 5/29/79, which reflects present activity of the RCP in Buffalo, New York, which information has been developed since the case was re-opened 1/31/79. This LHM is being furnished to all offices at the specific direction of FBIHQ so that all auxiliary offices may be apprised of pertinent developments within the Buffalo Division.

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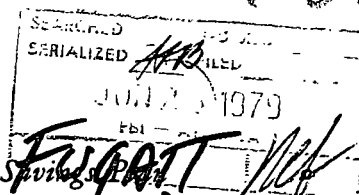
AT BUFFALO, NEW YORK

Will continue investigation of the RCP.

2 - Atlanta (Encs-2)
2 - Birmingham (100-5970)(Encs-2)
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Memorandum

TO : SAC (File # *100-7809*) *huc*

DATE: *6/15/79*

FROM : SA *Richard E. Fugatt*

SUBJECT: *Revolutionary Communist Party (RCP)*

O.O. *Chicago*

Reference *WFO tel to Atlanta 6/8/79*

A review of captioned case by the writer shows that all logical investigation has been completed in this Division with negative results.

The following investigation has been completed:
(Check appropriate box.).

- ☐ Logical Informants contacted.
- ☒ Logical Sources contacted.
- ☒ Logical Law Enforcement Agencies contacted.
- ☐ Other (Explain) _____

It is therefore requested that this case be RUC'd administratively.

cc: *1-100-7809*

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SUPERIOR COURT

OF THE

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Holding a Criminal Term

Grand Jury Sworn in on March 2, 1979

THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA : Criminal No:
v. : Violation: 22 D.C. Code 505(b);
505(a); 1122 (b); 105
(Assault On a Police Officer With
a Dangerous Weapon; Assaulting,
Resisting, or Interfering With a
Police Officer; Rioting; Aiding
and Abetting)
NINA K. SCHILLER
WILLIAM RICHMOND, also known
as WILLIAM J. RICHMAN
MARILYN WILSON
DENNIS FEAR
JOSEPH P. MOORE
JAMES R. SABEL
DARREL C. CAPERS
FARHAD M. ILDARI, also known
as MOHAMMAD ILDARI

The Grand Jury charges:

COUNTS ONE THROUGH THIRTEEN:

On or about January 29, 1979, within the District of Columbia,
Nina K. Schiller, William Richmond, also known as William J. Richman,
Marilyn Wilson, Dennis Fear, Joseph P. Moore, James R. Sabel, Darrel C.
Capers and Farhad M. Ildari, also known as Mohammad Ildari, without
justifiable and excusable cause, did assault with deadly and dangerous
weapons, members of a police force operating in the District of Columbia,
knowing them to be police officers, while they were engaged in and on
account of the performance of their official duties. The defendant
who used the weapon, the police officer who was assaulted and the
deadly and dangerous weapon used are set forth below for each count.

Count	Defendant who used weapon	Police Officer	Weapon
1	Nina K. Schiller	Unidentified member	bottle
2	Nina K. Schiller	Unidentified member	piece of lumber
3	William Richmond aka William J. Richman	Rudolph C. Goddard	bottle
4	William Richmond aka William J. Richman	Richard E. Dassing	piece of lumber
5	William Richmond aka William J. Richman	unidentified member	bag of
6	Marilyn Wilson	Franklin A. Siwik	piece of lumber
7	Dennis Fear	Daniel M. Snyder	piece of lumber

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Count	Defendant who used weapon	Police Officer	Weapon
8	Joseph P. Moore	Steven A. Fuksa	piece of lumber
9	James R. Sabel	David S. Shannon	piece of lumber
10	James R. Sabel	William J. Atkinson	piece of lumber
11	Darrel C. Capers	Richard T. Winston	piece of lumber
12	Farhad M. Ildari aka Mohammad Ildari	Unidentified horse- man	bag of objects
13	Farhad M. Ildari aka Mohammad Ildari	Joseph C. Pica	piece of lumber

(Assault On a Police Officer With a Dangerous Weapon, Aiding and Abetting, in violation of 22 D.C. Code, Section 505 (b); 105)

FOURTEENTH COUNT:

On or about January 29, 1979, within the District of Columbia, Farhad M. Ildari, also known as Mohammad Ildari, and Nina K. Schiller, William Richmond, also known as William J. Richman, Marilyn Wilson, Dennis Fear, Joseph P. Moore, James R. Sabel, and Darrel C. Capers, without justifiable and excusable cause, did assault, resist, oppose, impede and interfere with James T. Davis, a member of a police force operating in the District of Columbia, knowing him to be a police officer, while James T. Davis was engaged in and on account of the performance of his official duties. (Assault on a Police Officer, Aiding and Abetting, in violation of 22 D.C. Code, Sections 505 (a); 105)

FIFTEENTH COUNT:

On or about January 29, 1979, within the District of Columbia, Nina K. Schiller, William Richmond, also known as William J. Richman, Marilyn Wilson, Dennis Fear, Joseph P. Moore, James R. Sabel, Darrel C. Capers, and Farhad M. Ildari, also known as Mohammad Ildari did wilfully engage in a public disturbance involving an assemblage of five or more persons which by tumultuous and violent conduct and threat thereof did create grave danger of damage and injury to property and persons. (Rioting, in violation of 22 D.C. Code, Section 1122 (b))

Attorney of the United States in
and for the District of Columbia

A TRUE BILL:

Foreman.

LIST OF INDICTMENTS RETURNED

GRAND JURY NO. Three

GRAND JURY SWORN IN ON March 2, 1979

June 20, 1979

COMPL. NO.	CCR NO.	PDID NO.	NAME & ADDRESS OF DEFENDANT	VIOLATION & CODE SECTION	CRIMINAL CASE NO.	ASSIGN TO:
F-573-79	043-260	324-451	NINA K. SCHILLER (F) DOB: [REDACTED] 1717 Ella St. Cinn., Ohio	22 D.C. Code 505(b); 505(a); 1122(b); 105 Assault on a Police Officer With A Dangerous Weapon; Assaulting, Resisting, or Interfering With a Police Officer; Rioting; Aiding and Abetting		
F-582-79		324-862	WILLIAM RICHMOND (M) AKA/WILLIAM J. RICHMAN DOB: [REDACTED] 600 W. 161st St., #60 N.Y., New York 10032			
F-618-79		324-867	MARILYN WILSON (F) DOB: [REDACTED] 7 West Alexandrine St., #416 Detroit, Michigan			
F-554-79		324-840	DENNIS FEAR (M) DOB: [REDACTED] 3376 Madison St. College Pk., Ga.			
F-585-79		324-838	JOSEPH MOORE (M) DOB: [REDACTED] 21587 Panama St. Warren, Michigan			
F-553-79		324-810	JAMES R. SABEL (M) DOB: [REDACTED] 1033 E. Washington Ave. East Pt., Georgia			
F-572-79		324-861	DARREL C. CAPERS (M) DOB: [REDACTED] 3456 E 123rd St Cleveland, Ohio			
F-550-79		324-818	FARHAD M. ILDARI (M) AKA/MOHAMMAD ILDARI DOB: [REDACTED] 1017 K St., N.W.			

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SUPERIOR COURT

OF THE

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

Holding a Criminal Term

Grand Jury Sworn in on March 2, 1979

THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA	:	Criminal No:
v.	:	Violation: 22 D.C. Code 505(a);
ROBERT D. AVAKIAN		505(b); 502; 1122 (b); 105
ERNESTINE FISHMAN		(Assaulting, Resisting, or
BARRY W. GREENBERG		Interfering With a Police Officer;
MILLER I. FRANCES, JR.		Assault On a Police Officer With
PATRICIA RICHARDS		a Dangerous Weapon; Assault With
MARJORIE KURKO		a Dangerous Weapon; Rioting;
ROBERT H. SHELDON		Aiding and Abetting)
CLARENCE POTTER, also known		
as CLARENCE GAINES, JR.		
LAWRENCE F. SNYDER		

The Grand Jury charges:

FIRST COUNT:

On or about January 29, 1979, within the District of Columbia, Ernestine Fishman, Robert D. Avakian, Barry W. Greenberg, Miller I. Frances, Jr., Patricia Richards, Marjorie Kurko, Robert H. Sheldon, Clarence Potter, also known as Clarence Gaines, Jr., and Lawrence F. Snyder, without justifiable and excusable cause, did assault, resist, oppose, impede and interfere with an unidentified member of a police force operating in the District of Columbia, by hitting the police officer in the back, knowing him to be a police officer, while he was engaged in and on account of the performance of his official duties. (Assaulting, Resisting, or Interfering With a Police Officer, Aiding and Abetting, in violation of 22 D.C. Code, Section 505(a); 105)

SECOND COUNT:

On or about January 29, 1979, within the District of Columbia, Barry W. Greenberg, Robert D. Avakian, Ernestine Fishman, Miller I. Frances, Jr., Patricia Richards, Marjorie Kurko, Robert H. Sheldon, Clarence Potter, also known as Clarence Gaines, Jr., and Lawrence F. Snyder, without justifiable and excusable cause, did assault with a deadly and dangerous weapon, that is, by throwing hard objects, unidentified members of a police force operating in the District of Columbia, knowing them to be police officers, while they were engaged in and on account of the performance of their official duties. (Assault on a Police Officer With a Dangerous Weapon, Aiding and Abetting, in violation of 22 D.C. Code, Section 505(b); 105)

THIRD COUNT:

On or about January 29, 1979, within the District of Columbia, Barry W. Greenberg, Robert D. Avakian, Ernestine Fishman, Miller I. Frances, Jr., Patricia Richards, Marjorie Kurko, Robert H. Sheldon, Clarence Potter, also known as Clarence Gaines, Jr., and Lawrence F. Snyder, without justifiable and excusable cause, did assault with a deadly and dangerous weapon, that is, by swinging a piece of lumber at them, unidentified members of a police force operating in the District of Columbia, knowing them to be police officers, while they were engaged in and on account of the performance of their official duties. (Assault on a Police Officer With a Dangerous Weapon, Aiding and Abetting, in violation of 22 D.C. Code, Sections 505 (b); 105)

COUNTS FOUR THROUGH TEN:

On or about January 29, 1979, within the District of Columbia, Robert D. Avakian, Ernestine Fishman, Barry W. Greenberg, Miller I. Frances, Jr., Patricia Richards, Marjorie Kurko, Robert H. Sheldon, Clarence Potter, also known as Clarence Gaines, Jr., and Lawrence F. Snyder, without justifiable and excusable cause, did assault with deadly and dangerous weapons members of a police force operating in the District of Columbia, knowing them to be police officers, while they were engaged in and on account of the performance of their official duties. The police officers assaulted and the deadly and dangerous weapons used are set forth below for each count.

Count	Officer	Weapon
4	William R. Hammann	bottle
5	James R. Haskins	hard objects
6	Gregory K. Scott	bottle
7	George W. Fisher	a hard object
8	James M. Conlon	a piece of lumber
9	Ronald J. Norton	a piece of lumber
10	Steven B. O'Dell	a piece of lumber

(Assault on a Police Officer With a Dangerous Weapon, Aiding and Abetting,
in violation of 22 D.C. Code, Sections 505 (b); 105)

ELEVENTH COUNT:

On or about January 29, 1979, within the District of Columbia, Robert D. Avakian, Ernestine Fishman, Barry W. Greenberg, Miller I. Frances, Jr., Patricia Richards, Marjorie Kurko, Robert H. Sheldon, Clarence Potter, also known as Clarence Gaines, Jr., and Lawrence F. Snyder assaulted Thomas E. Rick with a dangerous weapon, that is, a hard object. (Assault With a Dangerous Weapon, Aiding and Abetting, in violation of 22 D.C. Code, Sections 502; 105)

TWELFTH COUNT:

On or about January 29, 1979, within the District of Columbia, Robert D. Avakian, Ernestine Fishman, Barry W. Greenberg, Miller I. Frances, Jr., Patricia Richards, Marjorie Kurko, Robert H. Sheldon, Clarence Potter, also known as Clarence Gaines, Jr., and Lawrence F. Snyder, did wilfully engage in a public disturbance involving an assemblage of five or more persons which by tumultuous and violent conduct and threat thereof did create grave danger of damage and injury to property and persons. (Rioting, in violation of 22 D.C. Code, Section 1122(b))

Attorney of the United States in
and for the District of Columbia

A TRUE BILL:

Foreman.

COMPL. NO.	CCR NO.	PDID NO.	NAME & ADDRESS OF DEFENDANT	VIOLATION & CODE SECTION	CRIMINAL CASE NO.	ASSIGN TO.
F-563-79	043-260	324-820	ROBERT D. AVAKIAN (M) DOB: [REDACTED] 612 Huron St., Maywood, Ill.	22 D.C. Code 505(b); 505(a); 502; 1122(b); 105 Assault on a Police Officer With a Dangerous Weapon; Assault on a Police Officer; Assault With a Dangerous Weapon;		cl
F-622-79		324-831	ERNESTINE FISHMAN (F) DOB: [REDACTED] 5008 W. Strong St. Chicago, Ill.	Rioting; Aiding and Abetting		cl
F-57-79		324-863	BARRY W. GREENBERG (M) DOB: [REDACTED] 103 Bowers St. Jersey City, N.J.			
F-587-79		324-800	MILLER I. FRANCIS, JR. (M) DOB: [REDACTED] 2330 Delaware Dr., #12, East Point, Georgia	FOIA(b) (6)		
F-624-79		324-852	PATRICIA RICHARDS (F) DOB: [REDACTED] 1617 Sitka St Tampa, Florida			
F-607-79		324-854	MARJORIE KURKO (F) DOB: [REDACTED] 568 Davenport Ave. Cinn, Ohio			
F-560-79		324-805	ROBERT H. SHELDON (M) DOB: [REDACTED] 912 Armette St. Durham, N.C.			

COMPL. NO.	CCR NO.	PDID NO.	NAME & ADDRESS OF DEFENDANT	VIOLATION & CODE SECTION	CRIMINAL CASE NO	ASSIGN TO:
F-590-79	043-260	324-808	CLARENCE POTTER (M) AKA/CLARENCE GAINES, JR. DOB: [FOIA b 6] 232 Asbury Ave., #238 Greenville, S.C.	22 D.C. Code 505(b); 505(a); 502; 1122(b); 105 Assault on a Police Officer With a Dangerous Weapon; Assault on a Police Officer; Assault With a Dangerous Weapon; Rioting; Aiding and Abetting		
F-574-79		324-799	LAWRENCE F. SNYDER (M) DOB: [FOIA b 6] 21587 Panama St. Warren, Michigan			

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TRANSMIT VIA:

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FROM: SAC, WFO (100-49578) (P)

REVOLUTIONARY COMMUNIST PARTY (RCP)
DOMESTIC SECURITY
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ReWFOtel to Bureau, 7/3/79.

Enclosed for the Bureau and receiving offices are copies of the True Bills returned by the Federal Grand Jury (FGJ) on 6/20/79, at Superior Court of the District of Columbia.

Enclosures furnished 7/10/79 by U.S. Department of Justice (USDJ) clerk DOROTHY F. BOERKE.

Information copies being furnished the Baltimore, Houston, and Portland offices in view of recent RCP activity at or near those offices.

The persons listed below were indicted for violations of various counts of the District of Columbia Code: Assault on a Police Officer With a Dangerous Weapon

- 2 - Bureau (Enc.1)
 - ② - Atlanta (Enc.1)
 - 2 - Baltimore (Enc.1)
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and related offenses stemming from their arrest in a riot on 1/29/79, within the District of Columbia in which many apparent members of captioned organization participated.

List of subjects indicted on 6/20/79:

ROBERT D. AVAKIAN

DARREL C. CAPERS

DENNIS FEAR

ERNESTINE FISHMAN

MILLER I. FRANCIS, Jr.

BARRY W. GREENBERG

FARHAD M. ILDARI

MARJORIE KURKO

JOSEPH P. MOORE

CLARENCE POTTER, also known as CLARENCE GAINES, Jr.

PATRICIA RICHARDS

WILLIAM J. RICHMOND

JAMES R. SABEL

NINA K. SCHILLER

ROBERT H. SHELDON

LAWRENCE F. SNYDER

MARILYN WILSON

On 7/17/79, Assistant U.S. Attorney (AUSA) MARY ELLEN ABRECHT stated the 17 defendants are scheduled for trial 11/19/79 and the records of the indictments (Enclosures) are public and were released to the news media.

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Date 7/19/79

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (105-184369) ~~CONFIDENTIAL~~
 FROM: SAC, CLEVELAND (100-29733) (Sq 4) (P)
 RE: REVOLUTIONARY COMMUNIST PARTY (RCP) 100-7809
 DOMESTIC SECURITY (DS)
 OO: Chicago

Re Bureau teletype to Cleveland, 1/31/79; Cleveland airtel to the Bureau, 4/30/79.

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Enclosed for the Bureau and each recipient office are two copies each of the above airtel which reflects present activity of the RCP in the Cleveland, Ohio Division during the month of July 1979. This communication is being furnished to all offices both auxiliary offices and OO Chicago so that they may be apprised of pertinent developments within the Cleveland, Ohio Division. (U)

On 7/19/79, Mr. DEISE, Chief of Police, Brook Park Police Department, 17401 Holland Road, Brook Park, Ohio, (Protect Identity By Request), advised that on 7/18/79, Wednesday, a confrontation occurred between union members of the United Auto Workers of the Ford Motor Company in Brook Park and about 30 members of the Revolutionary Communist Party (RCP). This incident occurred according to DEISE near Gate 12 of Ford Motor Company in Brook Park. The incident turned into a rock-throwing, lead pipe-wielding melee that left three individuals injured. (S)

DEISE further advised that the quarrel began between the UAW members and the RCP members shortly after 3:00 p.m., where Communist Party members were selling copies of their weekly newspaper known as, "The Revolutionary Worker," to Ford employees entering and leaving the plant at shift change around 3:00 p.m. DEISE stated that about a half dozen men wearing United Auto Workers (UAW) shirts who were unidentified approached the group members of the RCP standing at Gate 12 and told them to leave. (S)

DEISE advised that several UAW members began pushing the RCP members and attempted to tear down a banner they were holding that read: "Down With The System of Wage Slavery." (S)

DEISE stated that several RCP members began swinging lead pipes which apparently had been concealed in the grass and were passed out by unidentified women in the RCP group. Several unidentified plant workers ran to help the unidentified union members who met the RCP, and who began picking up rocks and hurling them at the RCP members. (S)

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DEISE further stated that a union member, unidentified, grabbed a bullhorn being used by an unidentified spokesman for the RCP to hawk their newspaper and to shout communist slogans. DEISE mentioned the unidentified union man threw the bullhorn into the street and several RCP members grabbed the union man and threw him onto the pavement and began kicking him. (S)

DEISE advised that the RCP members began running down Engle Road adjacent to the Ford Motor Company to a parked car and a van. The RCP members climbed into the vehicles and drove away moments before the Brook Park Police arrived. DEISE mentioned that no arrests were made since the incident occurred quickly and the RCP members dispersed. DEISE said that the RCP members notified the Cleveland news media of their intended demonstration before it occurred. (S)

DEISE stated that UAW members REX JARVIS, JR., age 37, and LARRY MAYNARD, age 30, both of Cleveland, were taken to the Ford clinic for stitches. DEISE mentioned that REX JARVIS filed a complaint against an RCP member, DAVID MOSES ALLEN, 21460 Sheldon Road, Arcadia Lakes Apartments, Apartment C16, SSAN [REDACTED], for a first degree assault charge which is a misdemeanor. DEISE said UAW member LARRY MAYNARD filed a complaint against THOMAS H. WELCH, 4329 West 49th Street, SSAN [REDACTED]. MAYNARD's complaint was also a charge against WELCH of first degree assault which is also a misdemeanor. DEISE advised that these complaints were not yet signed, but once signed would authorize the Brook Park Police Department to arrest both DAVID MOSES ALLEN and THOMAS HENRY WELCH, RCP members, for first degree assault. (S)

DEISE stated that both DAVID MOSES ALLEN and THOMAS H. WELCH are employees at the Ford Motor Company in Brook Park, Ohio, as well as being RCP members. DEISE stated that the demonstration which occurred was on public property outside the gates of Ford Motor and that the only individuals recognized after the demonstration occurred, were WELCH and ALLEN based on the complaints charged by UAW members JARVIS and MAYNARD. DEISE stated that no other arrests were made by the Brook Park Police Department. DEISE mentioned that he would apprise the Cleveland FBI Office of the future disposition of the pending assault arrests by the Brook Park Police Department on ALLEN and WELCH based on complaints filed by the aforementioned UAW members. (S)

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DEISE stated that he could not provide any further information concerning the above incident, except to mention that the RCP at times holds their meetings on the campus of Cleveland State University at Trosky Hall, every Friday in Room 111 until approximately 8/3/79, when they will meet in another unidentified location. (C)

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AT CLEVELAND, OHIO

Will continue investigation of the RCP.

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On 7/17/79, Mr. THOMAS A. DEISE, Chief of Police, Brook Park Police Department, 17401 Holland Road, Brook Park, Ohio, (Protect Identity by Request), advised that several RCP members were arrested on charges of disorderly conduct, failure to disperse as a group and attempting to incite a riot, on 7/16/79, at approximately 6:17 a.m. DEISE stated that the five RCP members arrested on the above charges were a part of a group of 20 or 25 RCP members demonstrating in the vicinity of Five Points Road in Brook Park, Ohio, at Gate 12 of the Ford Motor Company, Engine Plant #2. DEISE mentioned that Ford Security filed a complaint that a group of 20 or 25 individuals were endangering the safety of workers at the plant not through physical violence or destroying or trespassing plant property, but simply running out onto the street causing traffic to stop and bottling traffic up in the vicinity of Five Points Road. DEISE mentioned, therefore, that these arrests were carried out on three of the five individuals on 7/16/79. DEISE said that the demonstration was for no particular purpose, except to pass out RCP literature. DEISE mentioned that the three individuals arrested at this time were CHERYL LESSIN, Ford Motor employee, white female, DOB [REDACTED], residence 3249 West 100th Street, Cleveland, Ohio; KENNETH PETTIS, non-Ford Motor employee, black male, DOB [REDACTED], residence 2120 Pitus Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio; STEPHANIE PETTIS, non-Ford Motor employee, black female, DOB [REDACTED], residence 2120 Pitus Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio. (C)

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DEISE further advised that the three persons mentioned were charged with misdemeanor offenses, released on \$1,300 bond and fined with no incarceration. DEISE stated that two other RCP members were also arrested on 7/16/79, because of a protest they made in the front of the Brook Park Police Department after the arrest of the three mentioned above at the Ford Motor Plant. DEISE said the last two were arrested just on the charge of disorderly conduct, given a \$100 bond release and fined with no incarceration. DEISE mentioned that the other two arrested later were MELANIE T.

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LETTICH, white female, DOB [REDACTED], residence 416 Stow Street, Kent, Ohio; CAROLYN ADAMS, white female, DOB [REDACTED], 3421 Poe Avenue, Cleveland, Ohio. (S)

DEISE further stated that the only other arrests of any RCP members at the Ford Motor Company Engine Plant #2 in Brook Park, Ohio, that occurred in the recent past involved one individual named THOMAS HENRY WELCH, Ford Motor employee, residence 4329 West 49th Street, Cleveland, Ohio, SSAN [REDACTED]. DEISE mentioned that WELCH was arrested on 7/12/79, for criminal trespass which was a misdemeanor offense and he was released after being fined with no incarceration. DEISE said WELCH trespassed with RCP literature on the premises of Ford Motor property, even though an employee working there, was not authorized to distribute this literature on Ford Motor property, therefore, the arrest was made. DEISE said that at the time of the arrest WELCH was driving a 1967 Ford two-door, white automobile, model unknown, bearing Ohio license F25658. (S)

DEISE stated that he could not provide any further information concerning the RCP activities at Gate 12 of the Ford Motor Company on 7/16/79, except to state that there were approximately 20 or 25 individuals, most of whom were unidentified, and passed out literature peacefully. DEISE reiterated that the arrests were only made to protect the safety of people traveling to and from Ford Motor Company and along Five Points Road near Gate 12 and that no violence or attacks were made upon Ford Motor Security personnel by the RCP members. (S)

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Baltimore, Maryland

May 11, 1979

REVOLUTIONARY COMMUNIST PARTY

On October 1, 1975, the Revolutionary Union (RU) publicly announced the formation of the Revolutionary Communist Party of USA (RCP). The RU, a militant semi-covert Marxist-Leninist revolutionary organization ideologically oriented towards the People's Republic of China and the teachings of Chairman MAO Tse-tung, had as one of its main objectives, the founding of the RCP, and with the announcement of the formation of the RCP, the RU, as an organization, dissolved. Membership in the RCP is composed primarily of individuals who had previously been members of the RU. (U)

The RCP has published a booklet entitled "Programme and Constitution of the Revolutionary Communist Party, USA." This booklet states "The programme is both a declaration of war on the ruling class and a battle plan for the working class of this country. The central task of the Revolutionary Communist Party today, as the Party of the U.S. working class, is to build the struggle, class consciousness and revolutionary unity of the working class, and develop its leadership on a broad united front against the U.S. imperialists... This means the masses of workers must rise in arms, forcibly smash and dismantle the armed forces and political apparatus of the bourgeoisie and create in their place the organs of power of the armed working class." (U)

The Constitution of the RCP states "The Revolutionary Communist Party takes Marxism-Leninism, MAO Tse-tung thought as the theoretical basis guiding its thinking. The basic programme of the Revolutionary Communist Party is the complete overthrow of the bourgeoisie, the establishment of the dictatorship of the proletariat in place of the dictatorship of the bourgeoisie and the triumph of socialism over capitalism. The ultimate aim of the Party is the realization of communism." (U)

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Intermediate Workers Organization formed by the RCP all over the country are to attempt to gain influence in such industries as coal mining, steel mills, the post office, hospital work, the auto industry, textiles, and ship building. (U)

The RCP believes that the American working class has needed a revolutionary vehicle for change since the sell-out of the Communist Party. The RCP felt that an organizing force or party was needed to mold the various struggles, police repression, inflation, strikes, and layoffs into a powerful force bent on delivering crushing blows to the heart of monopoly capitalism in this country. (U)

* In regard to the role of minority groups in the party, the RCP maintains that blacks need no longer worry about low passive roles in society, but should become aggressive and assertive in their demands and actions. The black people, because of their role in society, will be counted upon heavily to bring about the destruction of capitalism in this country, according to the RCP. (U)

BALTIMORE CHAPTER, RCP

[redacted], who has furnished reliable information in the past, advised that the Baltimore Chapter of the Revolutionary Communist Party (RCP) maintains its headquarters at 402 East 25th Street, Baltimore, Maryland, with approximately 25 individuals identified as active, current members. Carl Melvin Dix, Mark Jackson, Harry Chambers and Dave Matthews hold positions of leadership and responsibility. The local chapter meets on a weekly basis. (S)

[redacted] advised that the RCP, Baltimore, has continued to conduct its political study group and involve itself in various demonstrations and topical issues. (S)

[redacted] advised that the Baltimore Chapter of the RCP currently publishes the Revolutionary Worker, 402 East 25th Street, Baltimore, on a monthly basis. Beginning May, 1979, the national office of the RCP, Chicago, Illinois, will publish and print the entirety of the Revolutionary Worker and appropriate copies will be sent to each chapter nationwide. This national publication will be weekly and the Baltimore Chapter will additionally compose a bi-weekly insert, which will recap local revolutionary activities. During past months, approximately 250 copies of the local issue have sold, at a cost of 25¢ each. (S)

The same source advised that the RCP derives most of its funds from the salaries of its members; sales of its publication Revolutionary Worker. (S)

[] advised that on January 24, 1979, a small faction of the RCP, Baltimore, demonstrated at the Chinese Embassy in Washington, D.C., at which time, windows were broken at that establishment and white paint smeared in some instances. The purpose of this demonstration was to bring to the attention on the American people the fact that Ping and current Chinese leadership are counter-revolutionary and revisionists. (C)

[] advised that on January 29, 1979, the Baltimore RCP was an active participant, with other Eastern U.S. RCP groups, in a militant demonstration against Dung Shao Ping, Peoples Republic of China, while visiting Washington, D.C. Approximately 400 persons gathered at the All Souls Church, Harvard Avenue and 16th Street, N.W., Washington, D.C., and thereafter marched to Lafayette Park, opposite the White House, where they were confronted by police. Two Baltimore RCP members were arrested during this action and were charged with assault. The purpose of this demonstration was to protest the United States establishing relations with the Peoples Republic of China. (C)

[] advised that on February 24, 1979, the Baltimore RCP participated in a trip and demonstration planned for Wilmington, North Carolina. Approximately 200 RCP members and 30 Iranian Student Association members attended the activity. However, after arriving at Wilmington, North Carolina, the group discovered that a meeting hall could not be obtained by them (RCP) and it became necessary to obtain this meeting place in Myrtle Beach, South Carolina. Upon returning to Wilmington, North Carolina, for the demonstration, the RCP learned that their parade permit had expired and no demonstration was held. The purpose of this action was to celebrate the revolution in Iran and to promote the establishment of a communist state in that nation. (C)

[] advised that during March, 1979, Carl Dix, RCP, Baltimore, advised local RCP members that the National Leadership in Chicago, Illinois, had designated Baltimore as a target industrial city for the purpose of "developing proletarian workers into revolutionists." The RCP National Leadership assigned two experienced revolutionaries to physically move to the Baltimore area in order to help organize the existing chapter and recruit many new members. Thus far, revitalized recruiting efforts have centered on the black ghetto in Baltimore. New revolutionary organizers believe that the blacks are oppressed and are, therefore, more susceptible to revolutionary action. Occasionally, individual blacks have attended RCP meetings but have not expressed further interest. (C)

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[] advised that on May 5, 1979, members of the RCP, Baltimore, participated in a May Day demonstration at Washington, D.C. The purpose of the demonstration was to be a protest of the trials of those RCP members arrested while confronting police during the Dung Shaio Ping (PRC) visit in January, 1979. RCP groups from the Eastern United States gathered at the State Department, Washington, D.C., and peacefully marched to the Howard Theatre in Washington, D.C., where they heard Robert Avakian speak on the future national policy of the RCP. This was not a militant demonstration. (c)

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 FROM: SAC, BALTIMORE (100-27321) (SQ #3) - P -
 SUBJECT: REVOLUTIONARY COMMUNIST PARTY (RCP)
 DOMESTIC SECURITY
 (OO: Chicago)

Re Bureau airtel to Baltimore and Chicago,
 dated 6/11/79. (U)

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 Revolutionary Communist Party (RCP) in the Baltimore,
 Maryland area. This LHM is being furnished to all
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 they may be apprised of pertinent developments within
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On 7/20/79, Mr. THOMAS A. DEISE, Chief of Police, Brook Park Police Department, 17401 Holland Road, Brook Park, Ohio (protect identity by request), advised that a Ford employee, Mr. THOMAS SHEHEE, 14128 Courtland, Cleveland, Ohio, phone 251-8896, was cleaning the casting plant administrative offices, which are part of the Ford Motor Company in Brook Park on the morning of 7/20/79 at approximately a little after 12:00 Midnight. DEISE stated that SHEHEE, the Ford Motor employee who was cleaning, came to a second floor area of the Casting Plant Office which was in the Room 207 vicinity. DEISE mentioned that he observed a white female entering the mail/duplicating room in the Casting Plant. DEISE said SHEHEE observed three people in front of the xerox machine in the Casting Plant office. SHEHEE noticed two unidentified white males and one unidentified white female. DEISE said that SHEHEE observed the unidentified white female holding a tan folder with the letters "RCP" on it. The letters were in bold black print. SHEHEE told COP DEISE that these three people were asked by SHEHEE what they were doing in the office. The one taller unidentified white male told SHEHEE to "fuck himself and Ford Motor also". The shorter unidentified white male told SHEHEE that they were just going to run some stuff off for the party. SHEHEE told DEISE that he attempted to leave the room when the smaller of the two unidentified white males grabbed him and the taller male threw some blank papers into the air. SHEHEE told DEISE that his false teeth flew out of his mouth and that he wept under a copy machine when he was assaulted by the two unidentified males. DEISE said that the three unidentified persons began to throw machinery and office equipment around the room. Chief DEISE mentioned that Brook Park police officers who investigated, discovered that SHEHEE had a bloody nose and that he was only

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able to describe the unidentified three that accosted him as males, one 6'2" tall and the other male 5'10" tall, both wearing beards. SHEHEE told DEISE that the female was wearing a tee shirt and that he could not remember any further information. DEISE stated that SHEHEE filed a complaint, but that no suspects or arrests have been made to date. ~~(S)~~

DEISE further advised that no weapon was discovered but that SHEHEE claims that slash marks were made on his wrist and stomach. DEISE said that the unidentified suspects would be charged with First Degree Assault, which is a misdemeanor. ~~(S)~~

DEISE further advised that all RCP members that have been recently arrested for misdemeanor charges in the month of July, 1979, would appear sometime in Berea Municipal Court on or about July 26, 1979 to answer these misdemeanor charges. ~~(S)~~

On 7/20/79, Mr. EMMETT J. MATHEWS, Shift Supervisor, Plant Security, Ford Motor Company, Engine Plant #2, 18300 Five Points Road, Brook Park, Ohio, (protect identity by request), advised that Ford Motor cleaning employee TOM SHEHEE, 14128 Courtland, Cleveland, Ohio, was cleaning the Casting Plant Administration Building, which is part of Ford Motor, on Friday morning, July 20, 1979, a little after midnight, when he was assaulted by three unidentified RCP members, two males and one female. MATHEWS stated that SHEHEE discovered the three people standing in front of the xerox machine in the building and when asked why they were there, was told by one of the unidentified males to "fuck himself and Ford Motor also". ~~(S)~~

MATHEWS said that he was then beaten up by the two males, lost his false teeth, and suffered a bloody nose. MATHEWS mentioned that SHEHEE claims that he was slashed with a knife on the wrist and stomach, but that the Brook Park PD report does not mention the use of a knife or slash marks. MATHEWS mentioned that the three unidentified RCP members fled the premises after assaulting SHEHEE and after throwing machine and office equipment around the room. MATHEWS mentioned that SHEHEE observed the three unidentified persons entering the stairwell at the north end of the office area in the Casting Plant building and that this was the last time SHEHEE saw the three people. MATHEWS mentioned that Security

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was called at 12:49 PM and that the Security Patrol of Ford Motor found the room where the duplicating machine was located in disarray. ~~(S)~~

MATHEWS further advised that the Ford Security people notified the Brook Park PD immediately after SHEHEE was assaulted and the Brook Park PD tried to isolate the three suspects on the Ford Motor grounds. They were unsuccessful in their efforts due to the large area that they had to cover and the three suspects, who remain unidentified, fled the area. MATHEWS mentioned that the following physical descriptions were obtained from SHEHEE after the assault on him and that he was unable to identify these individuals as known persons and simply provided physical descriptions: ~~(C)~~

First Unidentified Male Subject:

Race:	White
Sex:	Male
Height:	6'2"
Hair:	Black
Age:	32-33
Complexion:	Medium
Jewelry:	Wearing a pinkie ring on his right hand
Clothing:	Long-sleeved black sweatshirt, blue jeans, wore a hunting knife on his belt, red bandana
Other:	Full beard

Second Unidentified Male Subject:

Race:	White
Sex:	Male
Height:	5'9" or 5'10"
Hair:	Black, stringy
Weight:	Approximately 240 pounds
Age:	30-33
Clothing:	Had a hunting knife on his hip; chain connected to his side belt loop.
Other:	Full beard

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Unidentified White Female Subject:

Race:	White
Sex:	Female
Height:	5'7" - 5'9"
Hair:	Blonde
Clothing:	Black tee shirt, which bore "RCP" in bold white letters on the front and "10" on the back
Age:	Approximately 20-25 years of age
Other:	Good looking

MATHEWS could provide no further information concerning the above incident which occurred on the morning of 7/20/79; however, he did advise that the incident as previously reported to the Bureau which occurred on 7/18/79 involving the arrest of DAVID MOSES ALLEN for assault on REX JARVIS, UAW member, occurred on 7/18/79, where \$100 bond was posted and ALLEN was released, having been charged with First Degree Assault, which was a misdemeanor. MATHEWS further advised that THOMAS HENRY WELSH, RCP member who assaulted UAW member MAYNARD on 7/18/79 was arrested by Brook Park PD also on 7/20/79 on the same charge listed for ALLEN and posted \$100 bond for his release. MATHEWS mentioned that both would appear in Berea Municipal Court on or about 7/26/79. ~~TC~~

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : SAC, ATLANTA (100-7809) *[Handwritten signature]*

FROM : SA RICHARD E. FUGATT

SUBJECT: REVOLUTIONARY COMMUNIST PARTY (RCP))
DOMESTIC SECURITY
(OO:CG)

DATE: 7/31/79

Re WFO airtel to Director, 7/18/79.

The names of DENNIS FEAR, MILLER I. FRANCIS, JR., and JAMES R. SABEL have been indexed, showing they were indicted in the District of Columbia 6/20/79, and scheduled to appear for trial 11/19/79.

It is recommended this case be administratively closed.

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Cincinnati, Ohio

August 8, 1979

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RE: REVOLUTIONARY COMMUNIST PARTY

Identity

The Revolutionary Communist Party (RCP) in the Cincinnati Division has chapters in Cincinnati, Dayton, and Columbus, Ohio. Some activities are jointly sponsored by the Revolutionary Communist Youth Brigade (RCYB), the National United Workers Organization (NUWO), and the RCP.

Organization

The formal leadership of RCP is unknown. In Cincinnati, Steve Zureick and Marge Kurko are most vocal. In Columbus, Paul Hollister is most active. In Dayton, Larry Powell and wife Ellen attend most demonstrations.

Public Activities and Demonstrations

The persons listed below were arrested for violations of various counts of the District of Columbia Code; Assault on a Police Officer With a Dangerous Weapon and related offenses stemming from their arrests in a riot on January 29, 1979, within the District of Columbia:

Bill Beazley
also known as William Tyson

1934 Elsinere Avenue
Dayton, Ohio
513-275-8572

Stephen D. Zureick

1623 Section Road
Number 5
Cincinnati, Ohio
513-821-3803

Musa Bish

1668 Pullan Avenue
Cincinnati, Ohio
513-542-5196

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Marjorie Kurko	568 Davenport Avenue Cincinnati, Ohio 513-471-4606
Marc Richard Lendler	6248 Carrey Avenue Cincinnati, Ohio
Ellen Geist Powell	613 Greenlawn Avenue Dayton, Ohio 513-254-4024
Nina K. Schiller	1717 Ella Street Cincinnati, Ohio 513-681-4023

Of these arrested, Kurko and Schiller were indicted June 20, 1979, and are scheduled for trial November 19, 1979.

On February 2, 1979, four members of RCP staged a demonstration on Government Square, Downtown Cincinnati. Stephen Zureick, Marjorie Kurko, and Mark Lendler participated in this nonviolent demonstration.

On March 9, 1979, Zureick was arrested on the University of Cincinnati Campus while taking part in a picket line opposing an event called "Marxist Scholar Conference". Zureick and other RCP members opposed the conference, sponsored by the Communist Party USA (CPUSA), because they felt the CPUSA betrayed the cause of revolution and supported imperialism. Zureick was found not guilty of resisting arrest but was found guilty of "failure to disperse" in Municipal Court.

On March 23, 1979, Donald E. Davis, 1438 Dove Road, Columbus, Ohio, and Paul D. Hollister, 2267 Indiana Avenue, Columbus, Ohio, were arrested for criminal trespass at the Chillicothe, Ohio High School. Davis and Hollister were passing out RCP leaflets.

On March 20, 1979, RCP, RCYB, and NUWO held a demonstration at 2:00 PM on Fountain Square, Cincinnati, Ohio. The title of the demonstration was "Uphold the Righteous Actions of Greg Daniels". Daniels had been killed after killing two police officers in a shootout.

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On May 10, 1979, Cincinnati Police Officers, wives, and children had a march to City Hall. RCP members, eight strong, stood at City Hall carrying signs which stated "Down With National Oppression". Police officers ripped up the signs. On the same day, RCP demonstrated at the funeral of George Lee Thomas, Jr., who was slain May 4 while fleeing a police stakeout in Cincinnati.

On March 31, 1979, a demonstration was held at Fountain Square in Cincinnati to call attention to police killings in Chillicothe.

On May 17, members of RCP and NUWO were passing out leaflets critical of police behavior towards blacks in Cincinnati. It took place as police officers, who had a permit, observed National Police Week. Only one demonstration at Fountain Square is authorized at one time. Four RCP members were arrested. They are:

Diane Marie Chapman, age 25
4799 Este Avenue
Winton Place

Mrs. Symo Beth Zureick, age 28
1023 Section Road

Jonathan Lewis Gould, age 26
2714 Orland Avenue
Westwood

Marjorie Ellen Kurko, age 32
568 Davenport

During May, June, and July, RCP members in Dayton have been protesting "Operation Invest" which is a fund-raising drive by the Greater Dayton Jaycees to buy bullet-proof vests for Dayton policemen. Fronts used by the Dayton RCP recently include the NUWO, Committee to Free the Moody Park III", and the "Revolutionary Worker Center", 1939 North Main Street, Dayton, Ohio.

A newspaper article appearing in the "Dayton Journal Herald", March 29, 1979, entitled "Protestors Blast Police Vest Drive". Ellen Geist Powell and Larry Powell have been active in the protests. Demonstrations usually draw about 10 to 12 participants.

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TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (105-184369)

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FROM : SAC, CINCINNATI (100-18684) (RUC)

SUBJECT: Revolutionary Communist Party (RCP)
DOMESTIC SECURITY (DS)
(OO:CG)

Re WFO airtel to the Bureau, 7/18/79; WFO teletype to the Bureau, 6/8/79; Bureau airtel to WFO, 5/22/79; and CI airtel to Bureau, 5/16/79.

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Preliminary investigation initiated 5/16/79.

This communication is classified "confidential" inasmuch as information contained herein, if revealed, could damage Bureau sources and methods. This communication is also classified inasmuch as information contained herein, if revealed, could reflect our interest in a domestic subversive organization, the Revolutionary Communist Party (RCP), which may or may not be affiliated with a foreign government which shares a similar political ideology as the RCP, in which the Bureau would also be interested. (C)

All information contained herein after is classified "confidential" unless otherwise noted.

Enclosed for the Bureau are two copies of an LHM which reflects the present activity of the RCP in the Cincinnati, Ohio area. Also enclosed for each recipient office is one copy of same LHM.

Activity and membership has not appreciably changed since previously reported; therefore, based on Attorney General guidelines, no further investigation will be conducted by the Cincinnati Division.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Birmingham, Alabama

August 27, 1979

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REVOLUTIONARY COMMUNIST PARTY (RCP)
DOMESTIC SECURITY

The Revolutionary Communist Party (RCP) Chapter at Birmingham, Alabama, is the only known chapter in the north Alabama area. In addition to the name "Revolutionary Communist Party", the chapter has also used the names "People United to Fight Police Terror" and "National United Workers Organization". ~~(S)~~

The Birmingham chapter does not maintain office space and the meetings are apparently held in the homes of Bobby Righi, 1117 Alabama Avenue, Birmingham or Janet Gould, 842 McMillan Avenue, Birmingham, RCP members. ~~(S)~~

The Birmingham chapter has utilized telephone numbers 788-8242 and 251-3756, listed to B. J. Neely and Ruby D. Brown, respectively, according to the current Birmingham Criss-Cross Directory. ~~(S)~~

A review of the current Birmingham Telephone and City Directory failed to reveal a listing under the above names. ~~(S)~~

The principal officers and/or leaders of the Birmingham chapter appear to be Bobby Righi, Janet Gould and her husband, Joshua Gould, who act as spokesmen for the RCP at various times. ~~(S)~~

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The membership of the Birmingham chapter is estimated at [] members. ~~(S)~~

In addition to distribution of "The Worker", official publication of the RCP, the Birmingham chapter also prepares and distributes leaflets in support of any group with a grievance against local governmental establishments. ~~(S)~~

Attached are copies of two such leaflets recently distributed by the Birmingham Chapter, RCP. (U)

The activity of the Birmingham Chapter, RCP appears to be confined primarily to public demonstrations in support of any group with a grievance against local governmental establishments: ~~(S)~~

On June 13, 1979, members of the RCP attended a lecture by Professor Mansour Farhang from California State University held at the University of Alabama in Birmingham (UAB). RCP members attempted to show RCP support for the Iranian revolution during the course of this meeting; however, Professor Farhang effectively informed them that communists could have no part in the Iranian revolution. Thereafter, the RCP members and two or three Iranian supporters were shouted down by students attending the lecture. (U)

The RCP sponsored a march to City Hall on July 14, 1979 in support of the Southern Christian Leadership Conference (SCLC) activities in connection with the shooting of Bonita Carter, a black female killed by a Birmingham police officer in an incident at a local convenience store. This event was poorly attended. Some supporters from Georgia appeared at this demonstration. (U)

On July 20, 1979, the RCP participated in the SCLC march from Kelly Ingram Park to the Birmingham City Hall. This demonstration was defined as being against the policies of the City of Birmingham and the Birmingham Police Department in the "killing of Bonita Carter by a white police officer". The RCP members marched at the end of the main SCLC marchers and carried a large banner protesting police

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action in the Bonita Carter case. There were no incidents of violence or arrests of any kind in connection with the above described events. (U)

The Birmingham Chapter, RCP is not known to be connected with other domestic groups under investigation or with any foreign governments or organizations. (S)

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COPS MURDER, GO FREE . . .
THAT'S WHAT THE RICH CALL DEMOCRACY!

AVENGE THE DEATH OF BONITA CARTER!

Bonita Carter, a young Black woman, lies dead, murdered in cold blood by pigs in blue uniforms. This is not, as Chief Pig Myers says, just a "tragic incident." Bonita's blood is etched into the pavement of 10th Ave. N., a screaming indictment of generations of racist oppression in a capitalist Amerikkka.

On Friday, the shots that were to leave Bonita Carter dead in a pool of blood cracked through the Birmingham night. The pigs took aim. Pointblank. A shot ripped Bonita's body. And another. But these maniacs weren't satisfied. Their work wasn't done. The pigs fired again. Five shots sliced through Bonita altogether. Mission accomplished. Cold-blooded Execution. Another notch on a pig's 38 Special.

Bonita Carter. What was her crime? She was born Black. And she was one of an army of millions of slaves in Amerikkka—Black, white, brown, Asian—whose life-sentence is to work, suffer, and die for the glory and wealth of a handful of rich parasites of the capitalist class that runs this country.

Bonita Carter. Her death is no isolated incident. She joins other victims of this blood-soaked system. Ralph Franklin, a Black veteran, killed by the cops a year ago on the Southside. Robert Davis, shot down in his own home in Hueytown just two months ago by these thugs in blue, a hero of the people when he got his gun and fought back to his last breath. Willie Dennis, another Black man, victim of police terror in Bessemer 2 years ago.

Listen to Fat-ass Mayor Vann. Listen to Chief Cop "Mad-dog" Myers. Listen to Mr. Stockham, and Mr. TCI, and all the pistol-packing, blue-shirted hogs they got roaming the streets of Birmingham protecting their money and their power. They say Black people can make it in Birmingham. This is an all-American city in a land of opportunity. All that segregation and oppression is a thing of the past, buried with Bull Connors. We even got Black cops! Don't that prove we're making progress?

The hell it does. Go look at real life on the pain-filled streets of this urban armpit. Look at the hellish foundries, the robot assembly lines filled with sweating slaves. Look at the shitty schools, the rotten housing in the ghettos filled with hot and cold running rats. Look at the unemployment rate for Blacks, double the average. Look at the cops, gun-thugs for the capitalists, who use the bodies of Black people for target practice.

Sure Black people can make it in Birmingham. They can make it to the grave.

Bonita Carter. Dead. Just another statistic in the files of the Birmingham Pig Department? No. Her death is a lesson to us all. These filthy rich rulers think that when they unleash their pigs to gun people down, they can frighten people into submission. Especially Black people and other minorities. From whose labor are extracted super-profits, and against whom are heaped a double portion of the misery of capitalism—discrimination, police terror, racist oppression. They think we'll be peaceful slaves, grateful just for the chance to slave away for a crust of bread, and struggle to survive. But these fools don't understand. Every time they send their pigs to murder another Bonita Carter, they just add fuel to the flames of our hatred for them.

They think they'll get away with this crime. Maybe people will protest a little, there will be an in fl ion, then the whole thing will low over. Maybe they can send in one of their hunkies, like Richard Arrington, to cool down people's anger, to tell them to "go through channels", "work through the system."

But hundreds of people have been in the streets now for three days and nights, mad as hell. People going from outrage to a mass desire for action to put a stop to the reign of terror by the police. Unwilling to listen to the pitiful cries of hacks like Arrington to "olve things peacefully." Ready to go down to get justice for Bonita Carter, to seek vengeance for a lifetime of injustice. And Sunday afternoon, when so-called "community leaders" told the people to go home, get off the streets, and confine themselves to petitioning the mayor, the cry rose up from a hundred angry voices, "Hell No, We Won't Go!" People went back to the street, to take their stand against the pigs who were corrupting their community.

But we got to aim our fire at the real enemy behind what happened to Bonita. Some people in the last few days have been out there just harassing whites, thinking that whites in general are responsible for the oppression of Black people. But the capitalists tell us all kinds of lies to keep us from seeing the truth. They got a thousand tricks to divide Black and white against each other, to keep us fighting for the crumbs that fall from the rich man's table.

It ain't just a couple of crazy cops, like the butchers who murdered Bonita. It's a whole damn system of oppression directed against minorities in this hell-hole they call a society. It stems from capitalism--the vampire system of Amerikkka--in which the rule of the rich class means nothing but poverty, misery, and a living death for the masses of the people.

The working class, of all nationalities, Black and white together, just got one interest in common. We face the brutal misery of the capitalist system in common, with a double portion allotted to Blacks. And there's just one solution to our common problems.

There is only one way out. REVOLUTION. Just like in Iran. Just like in Nicaragua. We, the working class, got no interest in maintaining any kind of oppression, any slavery, any discrimination. We, the masses in our millions, need to rise up, guns in hand, rise up to put an end to all oppression, including the brutal national oppression directed against Black people, by overthrowing its source, the blood-soaked capitalist system itself.

Bonita Carter will not be forgotten. The murdering pigs, and their capitalist masters, will not be forgiven. We will avenge the death of this sister by giving the rich NO PEACE. We will fight to give the pigs responsible a taste of the PEOPLE's justice. And we will build a revolutionary movement in Birmingham and across Amerikkka to tear this whole damn capitalist system down, to burn its remains with the inferno of the people's rage. And we will build a whole new world on the ashes of the old.

LET IT RAGE.

This leaflet distributed by the
REVOLUTIONARY COMMUNIST PARTY, USA

For more information, contact 788-8242.

TEAR THE BLOOD-SOAKED
CAPITALIST SYSTEM DOWN !

DOWN WITH NATIONAL OPPRESSION !

AVENGE THE DEATH OF BONITA CARTER !!

FIGHT POLICE TERROR!

Bonita Carter was murdered in cold blood by a Birmingham cop just a little over two weeks ago. Hundreds of Kingston residents, as well as people from other parts of town, poured into Tenth Avenue, the scene of this brutal murder, rising up in righteous anger in a way not seen in Birmingham in many years.

And what has happened since the murder? In this land of "liberty and justice for all" has there been a warrant issued for the murderer's arrest? NO! The courts have issued an injunction against the residents of Kingston! They no longer have the right to assemble - four or more people talking together is a crime and people can be arrested at will by the Birmingham pigs! And the cop who shot Bonita Carter? He is still on paid vacation!

This is how this so-called "democracy" works! The residents of Kingston have been outraged over this murder and have been determined to fight back against it. The cops brought their buddies, the KKK, slobbering dogs on the rich man's leash, into Kingston to "protect" Jerry's store. They were protected by the cops while they throw rocks and insults at Black people passing by. The community began to come out against these wamin and the cops moved in on the residents - breaking into at least one home and tearing it apart, sending members of the family to the hospital with their beatings. They drove people down the streets, pushing with their rifle butts, saying "Nigger, get your ass out of my way." This is the democracy that they brag about and want us to go into their army and kill and die for! This is the service offered by the city for our taxes. This is the treatment they dish out after we slave away for them in the hellish foundries and plants and hospitals of this city.

The city officials have gone through some motions, pretending to do something about the murder - they have called together a "Blue-ribbon Panel" to investigate the murder. A what have they turned up? Nothing. Just what people have been saying all along. This whole thing is purely an attempt to cool things down, while at the same time they give the cops a free hand to terrorize people into submission. But the people will never forgive or forget what happened to Bonita, and we are determined that this murdering swine will pay for his crime.

It is time for mass action, for people all over Birmingham who hate what has been going on, who hate the way this lousy system forces us to live every day, who hate being treated like cattle, and hate the whole system of oppression of Black people. It's time to come out and demand justice for this murder of Bonita Carter. People United to Fight Police Terror is calling on people to join with us to build for a mighty march on Saturday, July 14. We will march on City Hall from Kingston to demand that they pull their cops out of Kingston and jail the killer cop. And we intend to keep organizing and fighting and exposing their so called "democracy" until we Avenge the Death of Bonita Carter!

MARCH ON CITY HALL

People United To Fight Police Terror
Revolutionary Communist Party

SATURDAY

ASSEMBLE

JULY 14th

AT HAYES HIGH SCHOOL
AT 12:30 PM

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (105-134369)

FROM: SAC, BIRMINGHAM (100-5970) (P)

REVOLUTIONARY COMMUNIST PARTY (RCP)
 DOMESTIC SECURITY (DS)
 OO: CHICAGO

Re Birmingham airtel to Bureau, 5/25/79 and
 Bureau airtels to Birmingham, 6/11/79 and 4/30/79. (U)

Full investigation initiated 3/20/79. (C)

Enclosed are five copies of an LHM concerning
 the Birmingham, Alabama Chapter, RCP. (C)

Birmingham does not presently have informant
 coverage of the Birmingham Chapter, RCP; however, continuing
 efforts are being made in this area. (C)

Information concerning activities of the Birmingham
 Chapter, RCP was furnished by Chief THOMAS C. SEALS, University
 of Alabama in Birmingham (UAB) Police Department; Sgt. TOMMY
 McDONALD, Intelligence Division, Birmingham Police Department,
 and obtained through physical surveillance. (C)

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ATLANTA:

At Atlanta, Ga.:

Obtain registration data on Georgia License GDR 235 and SUE 940, observed on vehicles occupied by individuals participating in RCP-sponsored march in Birmingham on 7/14/79. Will check indices and furnish Birmingham any pertinent information in file. (C)

BIRMINGHAM:

At Birmingham, Ala.:

Will further identify B. J. NEELY and RUBY D. BROWN.

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Baltimore, Maryland

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REVOLUTIONARY COMMUNIST PARTY
DOMESTIC SECURITY

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On July 9, 1979, a source, who has furnished reliable information in the past, advised that at about 10:00 a.m., June 12, 1979, approximately 38 to 40 Revolutionary Communist Party (RCP) (See Appendix) members and their sympathizers held a demonstration in front of U.S. District Court, Washington, D.C., in support of Mark Wylie Jackson and four other RCP members, also known as the "Embassy 5", who were on trial for attacking the Liaison Office, Peoples Republic of China (LOPRC) on January 24, 1979. (S)

Source stated that speeches were made by Dave Matthews, a leading functionary of the Baltimore Chapter of the RCP and Bill Monroe, a member of the Atlanta, Georgia Chapter of the RCP, castigating the American ruling class and emphasizing that the trial of the "Embassy 5" is a political trial. Matthews said the purpose of the demonstration was to show that the voice of the revolution will not be drowned out by the attacks of the "Capitalist scum". Matthews compared this demonstration to the one held by the RCP in January, 1979, noting that both have inflicted powerful political blows to the enemy (Capitalists). Matthews noted that the Capitalists' vicious attacks on the RCP, particularly the "Embassy 5", have exposed the true nature

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of the beast (Capitalists). He further stated that the Capitalists are attempting to suffocate the "Embassy 5" by attacking, arresting and brutalizing them and that the Capitalists are exposing themselves as the "rabid dogs" they are, and their "sham democracy". (C)

The source noted that at 12:00 noon, the demonstrators, most of whom were wearing black berets and red jackets, the RCP's symbol of revolution, met in a large room in a government building and discussed the trial of the "Embassy 5". (C)

~~Ann Dykes, a white female, who is a leading~~
~~functionary of the Atlanta, Georgia Chapter of the RCP,~~
~~reported on the trial, saying the most serious charges~~
were dropped, indicating it was an RCP victory against the reactionaries. She stated since the "Embassy 5" are winning, we will, meaning the RCP, not engage in any drastic action that will "rock the boat". She noted that if the trial proceedings had gone against the "Embassy 5", we, the RCP, would have taken stronger action to let the Capitalists know of the RCP's support for the "Embassy 5". Dykes mentioned that a sidewalk demonstration would be held outside federal court at 12:30 p.m., so the Capitalists could see how the American people are supporting the defendants. (C)

According to the source, various people spoke about the trial, saying that "when we revolt against this rotten system, we won't have to go through this." (C)

Source stated that at 12:30 p.m., the demonstrators gathered at Marshall Square, Washington, D.C., and displayed large red RCP banners and called for revolutionary action. The demonstrators, in addition to passing out leaflets, spoke to passersby, explaining the RCP action and its program. (C)

Source noted that Marge Chambers, a member of the Baltimore Chapter of the RCP, who was spokesperson for the demonstrators, stated that if the government can railroad the "Embassy 5" and sentence them to long prison terms, it can effectively prosecute the Mao Tse-tung 78, especially Bob Avakian, the General Secretary of the RCP. Source noted that the Mao Tse-tung 78 were arrested for attacking the police in January, 1979, when Teng Hsiao-Ping of the PRC visited Washington, D.C. Chambers stated that the Capitalists want to intimidate and terrorize anyone who stands for revolution. (C)

Source noted that Jim Loudermilk and Mark Jackson, members of the "Embassy 5", also spoke at this demonstration. Loudermilk said that despite government threats of repression at our trial, politics will be our main defense. He stated that the RCP will continue to build support for revolutionary fighters, and this message will be expounded during the trial. (S)

Source stated that all the demonstrators entered Federal District Court at 1:15 p.m., but prior to entering were searched. During the search, someone whispered to Dave Matthews that when the RCP takes over, it will not only search the Capitalists but will do away with them. (S)

Source stated that when the trial convened, the prosecuting attorney requested a postponement to appeal the Judge's decision to dismiss some of the charges against the "Embassy 5". (u)

When the demonstrators exited the courthouse, they spoke to people on the street about the RCP.. (u)

Source stated that the individuals attending the demonstration were from Atlanta, Georgia, New York, New York, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, Boston, Massachusetts, Baltimore, Maryland and Washington, D.C. (S)

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REVOLUTIONARY COMMUNIST PARTY, USA .

On October 1, 1975, the Revolutionary Union (RU) publicly announced the formation of the Revolutionary Communist Party of USA (RCP). The RU, a militant semi-covert Marxist-Leninist revolutionary organization ideologically oriented towards the People's Republic of China and the teachings of Chairman MAO Tse-tung, had as one of its main objectives, the founding of the RCP, and with the announcement of the formation of the RCP, the RU, as an organization, dissolved. Membership in the RCP is composed primarily of individuals who had previously been members of the RU.

The RCP has published a booklet entitled "Programme and Constitution of the Revolutionary Communist Party, USA." This booklet states "The programme is both a declaration of war on the ruling class and a battle plan for the working class of this country. The central task of the Revolutionary Communist Party today, as the Party of the U. S. working class, is to build the struggle, class consciousness and revolutionary unity of the working class, and develop its leadership on a broad united front against the U. S. imperialists... This means the masses of workers must rise in arms, forcibly smash and dismantle the armed forces and political apparatus of the bourgeoisie and create in their place the organs of power of the armed working class."

The Constitution of the RCP states "The Revolutionary Communist Party takes Marxism-Leninism, MAO Tse-tung thought as the theoretical basis guiding its thinking. The basic programme of the Revolutionary Communist Party is the complete overthrow of the bourgeoisie, the establishment of the dictatorship of the proletariat in place of the dictatorship of the bourgeoisie and the triumph of socialism over capitalism. The ultimate aim of the Party is the realization of communism."

Members of the RU, the predecessor and founder of the RCP, have been identified as collecting weapons while engaging in firearms and guerrilla warfare training. The RCP is headquartered in Maywood, Illinois, and utilizes the same mailing address as was utilized by the RU.

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (105-184369)
 FROM: SAC, BALTIMORE (100-27321) (SQ. 3) - P -
 SUBJECT: REVOLUTIONARY COMMUNIST PARTY (RCP)
 DOMESTIC SECURITY
 (OO: Chicago)

Re Baltimore teletype dated 6/11/79, copies to
 Bureau, Chicago and Washington Field Office only. (U)

Enclosed for the Bureau are the original and
 five copies of an LHM dated and captioned as above, setting
 forth information concerning a demonstration in Washington,
 D.C., on 6/12/79 by RCP members and their sympathizers in
 support of the "Embassy 5" who were on trial for attacking
 the Liaison Office, Peoples Republic of China (PRC), on
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Two copies each of LHM are being furnished to recipient offices for appropriate action.

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Source mentioned in LHM is .

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Source identified LARRY and NANCY CASCARIO and BOB RATNER as RCP members from Washington, D.C. who attended the demonstration. He stated that CARL DIX, a leading functionary of the RCP in Washington, D.C., was in the hospital and unable to attend the demonstration.

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Source identified several individuals from Baltimore who attended the demonstration in Washington, D.C., on 6/12/79. Two of these individuals whom he identified as members of the Baltimore Chapter of the RCP, were DAVE MATTHEWS and MARGE CHAMBERS. The identities of the other individuals will be maintained in Baltimore copy of instant file.

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August 30, 1979

Mr. Herman Scott
Federal Bureau of Investigation
275 Peachtree Street, Suite 295
Atlanta, Georgia 30303

Dear Mr. Scott:

To confirm our conversation of August 20, I am enclosing Polaroid shots of the poster that was affixed to our manufacturing facilities on 362 Jones Avenue. The posters were put on the face of the building August 16 and have since been removed. During the months of April and May we had a major strike, the first work stoppage our company experienced in its 54 year history. During the 6 week strike we observed a number of incidents; bomb threats, arson attempts and a discharge of a firearm.

There appeared to be a splinter group outside of the union, that was publicizing and distributing hate letters printed on mimeograph sheets that was both anti-union as well as anti-company. The first evidence that the revolutionist Communist party was active in our neighborhood was the over use of poster idealising this incidious group. They appear to be interested in raising funds as well as creating unrest when opportunity presents itself. For your information, the telephone number that appears on the poster is an Atlanta number 755-1811. It is very probable that one or more of our employees could be a member of this organization. If you, at any time, have access to a membership roster, I would appreciate being advised.

If any further incidents occur, I will keep you posted.

Very truly yours,

A. H. Gould
A. H. Gould

AHG/ss

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Eugene T. (11NFO)

Party and its Chairman, Avakian, the target of the most vicious attack of the gov't

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Defend the Revolutionary Communist Party! Assist the
Party in Spreading, Deepening and Intensifying its Work!
And Especially Right Now,

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the Mao Tse Tung Defendants. We are not doing this just for the sake of it. We are doing it because the campaign is so important that we make some important big changes in our work. This bulletin should be read by all members of the committee and an emergency meeting to discuss it should be called. All committees must respond to Sam within three days of receiving this bulletin.

What does this leaf involve? It means that instead of airing our knees, we're airing much higher and we are going to put that into practice immediately. We are going to set up a national office for the Committee to Free the Mao Tse Tung Defendants and break out nationally putting a real face on this campaign. The staff has already been increased to free others to help make breakthroughs in reaching out to prominent individuals and groups to lend support to this campaign. We are moving away from the dining room table of a small house outside of D.C. occupied by a fluctuating number of adults and children. Our office will not be a hole in the wall--it will be a place where people from all walks of life will feel free to come and volunteer to help with the national work of this campaign. It will be the political and organizational center of the Committee to Free the Mao Tse Tung Defendants--with plenty of desks, chairs, tables and a phone with more than one line, RCP and Committee literature tables, etc.

Who's going to pay for all this? This is a serious question and the main reason for this emergency bulletin. Up till now the most immediate question that seemed to be on the agenda for local committees was raising money for balloons, T-shirts, buttons, local leaflets, and duplicating the committee newsletter, posters and other fund-raising materials which would have to be pre-paid, like the wall-hanging with Mao's poems.

But what about the \$6000 we owe for past legal fees including the legal costs involved in the defense of the Embassy Five? And what about the tens of thousands more to come in legal fees as the trial of the defendants gets under way? These lawyers are not from huge corporate law firms. As we get closer and closer to the trial they will be less able to take other cases and they have expenses to meet, i.e. secretaries, offices, etc. We can't keep putting them off.

Committees are clamoring for materials, some of them calling and asking when will the national brochure be out? When will the buttons, T-shirts, fund-raising materials be available? Some areas have complained if they aren't called immediately after some news breaks, with a press release ready to be taped over the phone. Who's supposed to pay our phone bills? Our printing and mailing costs? The RCP? The RCP can't do it. And shouldn't be.

These committees must be supported by the broad masses of people or we will have to wrap it up! And that means all the committees. In the past when the Party has initiated committees to lead broad campaigns some areas with more forces (or more of an understanding of the necessities of the work) have frankly been ripped off. They have constantly been called upon to front the money for the rest of the country. This has got to stop. Recently, we were making calls around the country to try to raise some capital to buy T-shirts in bulk so that Atlanta could start making these shirts. We called one area, and asked if they could contribute \$50 within the next couple of days. Their response was that in no way could they do it--that they didn't even have the money between themselves. What'd people expect? That there'd be a big damn out there that's going to pay the bills for us? Well, there's no big damn, and if there were we'd better start asking what's in it for him. But there are plenty of people out there who would contribute \$100, \$500 and more to this campaign--we know it--because it has happened already. It's even more important we know it because of our financial and political situation of the present that we need more for this work. The problem is people have not been out there asking for big bucks and that has got to change.

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One area recently sent a hundred dollar bill--a donation they had received in the course of their work, and they called a few days later to say more was on the way. There also have been a few other areas that are beginning to grasp the question and sent money as a result of emergency requests. What must be grasped is that we are not calling for financial sacrifices on the part of a small circle. We will get nowhere with that point of view.

People have had an upside-down view of things--assuming local committees would be supported from on high. But the National Committee to Free the Mao Tsetung Defendants will not be able to continue to function unless it is supported by the local committees. What this comes down to immediately is that we plan to make this leap in our work, opening an office in D.C. etc. But we will not do it until the money starts coming in from around the country. We are asking for \$2000 dollars within a week from the time that you receive this bulletin. At the very minimum what this means is \$100 from each committee. This \$2000 is just what's needed to open the National Office. It cannot stop there--the question remains--how will the office and the work that's required nationally be maintained? This is the opening shot of a campaign we are waging nationally to break with old habits, a narrow outlook, and determinism in our approach to this work. We are looking to all the committees no matter how big or small at this point to come through on this. Fundraising has got to be an integral part of everybody's work on these committees.

The masses are curious as to where we get our money and rightly so. Who do we rely on for the battle we have ahead of us? If we are not relying on the broad masses and actively putting that into practice, then we surrender to the ruling class. Do we have confidence that the broad masses of people are the makers of history or do we have disdain for the people, buying the line pushed by the ruling class that that's all people care about is the bread on their table.

We have got to examine carefully the fetters that are holding back this question of fund-raising and tear them to shreds.

Wage the struggle--raise the money--and set our sights high.

FREE THE MAO TSETUNG DEFENDANTS!
STOP THE RAILROAD OF BOB AVAKIAN!

COPY AND IMMEDIATELY DISTRIBUTE TO ALL MEMBERS OF THE LOCAL COMMITTEE

Balto. local committee meeting--SUNDAY SEPT. 2 7pm R.W. OFFICE
Agenda: 1) Discuss "Emergency Bulletin"
2) Plans for work of committee, division of labor, etc.
3) Sum-up film showing

MTT Defendants Labor Day Picnic, 1pm Monday Sept. 3 Pierce Mill Area of Rock Creek Park in D.C., \$2.

Demonstration against visiting Chinese delegation, Wed. Sept. 5
7pm Kowloon Restaurant, 1105 H St. NW, D.C.

Leafletting of neighborhood around the R.W. office Sat. Sept. 2, meet at the office at 11:30 am, discussion and showing of the film "MAO THE GREATEST REVOLUTIONARY OF OUR TIME" afterwards.



Newsletter #3

COMPELLED TO FILE THE MAO TSETUNG DEFENDANTS

P.O. Box 6422, T. Street Station,
Washington, D.C. 20009

A very serious attack has recently been launched by the "powers that be" in this country against the Revolutionary Communist Party, its Chairman, Bob Avakian, and other revolutionary fighters and leaders. Of the original 78 arrested in the major demonstration last January in Washington, D.C., 17 have been indicted on serious felony charges that carry with them a possible 100 years in jail or more per person.

During the first week of July, the 17 formally received their indictments in two separate arraignments at the D.C. Superior Court House. These arraignments were very revealing. The ruling class of this country had shown their hand. Felony charges piled on top of felony charges. Phony incidents cooked up and then milked ten times over from every conceivable angle for ridiculous new charges.

CHRONOLOGY OF A RAILROAD

First they were arrested on a misdemeanor charge right after the demonstration; bail was set for \$300. The next day their charge was raised to a felony and bail raised to \$10,000 each. Finally most people were released on recognizance bonds or reduced bail. But for Bob Avakian bail was kept at \$10,000 and special conditions were made for his release. The outrages were piling up: These protestors were viciously attacked during the demonstration, then further brutalized in jail and now having their charges increased from a misdemeanor (carrying a possible 6-month sentence) to felony assault charges which each carry a maximum 5 year sentence. All this was a sharp break with past practice on mass demonstration arrests in DC.

Then came the order for all 78 to return to D.C. in two weeks time to stand in police line-ups. Clearly they were an obvious attempt to harass the 78 defendants, forcing them to leave their jobs, families

and local areas, travel many miles to D.C. and submit to the line-up procedure, which itself is meant to be degrading. But more importantly, the government, with the court's full backing and approval, intended to use these line-ups to build up a fabricated case against the 78. The line-ups, illegal to begin with since there was no evidence produced at the preliminary hearing against any of the defendants, were a farce. 10 out of 12 people in every line-up were defendants. It was like shooting fish in a barrel. Another flagrant set up.

Then the indictments were mailed out. When the 17 received notice that they were indicted, they were told what the charges were:

assaulting a police officer with a dangerous weapon, resisting or interfering with a police officer, rioting, and aiding and abetting-- adding up to a possible total of 35 years in jail for each defendant. What appeared to be four or five charges changed drastically at the arraignments in early July. At the first set of arraignments 9 people were indicted on 12 felony counts each. At the second set of arraignments, two days later, 8 people were indicted with 15 felony counts each. The charges had been expanded to 12 to 15 felony counts per person. Equally outrageous is the fact that in the indictments the defendants are charged a number of times with serious felonies against "unidentified police officers". So from February to July, the years in prison that these defendants were facing jumped from 5 years, to 35, to a maximum of 100 years in jail! And it's not over yet. At the second set of arraignments on July 5, Judge Braman got a bit picky. He chided U.S. Attorney Abrecht and said, "This indictment is very ambiguous, we have a problem in that regard... This indictment is not a model of clarity... In any event, the government is on notice."

Abrecht then returned to the Grand Jury not just to clear things up but to get everybody re-indicted. It now appears that all 17 of the

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Bob Avakian, Chairman of the Central Committee of the RCP, along with 10 other Black Panther defendants, has been indicted by the government in the most serious attack against a revolutionary organization since the days of the Black Panthers.



defendants will be charged with all felonies, a possible 26 felonies for each defendant. Another set of arraignments will take place in mid-August where the defendants will formally receive their new expanded charges.

Another irony, and exposure of the nature of "capitalist justice" defense attorneys put forward a motion during the second set of arraignments that the two groups of defendants be consolidated so that there would be one trial. Abrecht objected. "The government opposes the consolidation. There would be a hardship, a great confusion of issues." Yet after the warning from the Judge about the ambiguity of the indictments, Abrecht went back to the Grand Jury and now it appears that ALL the defendants will be charged with ALL the felonies. That takes care of the "great confusion of issues" that Abrecht was complaining about.

Not since the days of the trials of the Black Panther Party a decade ago has there been a political attack of this scale on a revolutionary organization.

Not since those days have the top honchos in the U.S. government become so directly involved in what is obviously a political trial. They've flagrantly ignored their own laws, lied and blatantly dispensed with the normal trappings of justice.

The sharpest example of this is how the government has singled out Bob Avakian, RCP Chairman, from the start. After the arrest others got their bail reduced- his remained at \$10,000. At his bail hearing, the D.A. made a speech vowing to nail him. Not to be outdone, the Judge points out that Bob Avakian is a revolutionary leader and says "revolutionary leaders usually flee to Algeria..." The Judge said that the bail should really be much higher if it were up to him. Later he set down additional bail conditions: that Avakian not be allowed outside of D.C. or Chicago until Teng Hsiao-ping had departed from the United States. When the defendants were transported from the jail to the courthouse, Avakian, who had been kept in isolation got his own motor-

car escort, his guard carrying a pistol and a shotgun. And in the line-up in February not one was identified Avakian, yet he was among those indicted.

ARE THESE ATTACKS SERIOUS?

It may seem foolish to some that we even raise this question. But the fact is that information from around the country reveals that some of the press and others are asking: "Isn't this just petty harrassment and come November won't they drop most of the charges?"

At another time, in another period past, perhaps the government would have had more freedom to take another road with this case. But not today. Ex-presidential assistant Stu Eizenstat, in a memo to the President, detailed the political crisis this government is facing and said that other politicians had not witnessed anything comparable to the current emotion in American political life since Vietnam. Referring to the gas crisis he said: "we are suffering... nothing has occurred to date, not even double-digit inflation that has added so much water to our ship." His memo referred to the uprising in Levittown last month. "Sporadic violence over gasoline continues to occur. A recent incident in Pennsylvania injured 40." It was this same memo that urged the President to "assert leadership over an apparently insolvable problem, to shift the cause for inflation and energy problems to OPEC, to gain credibility with the American people..." In a recent speech Carter admitted that there was a crisis of confidence and asked Americans to be prepared for sacrifice. From every twist and turn of events, from the downfall of the U.S. puppet governments in Nicaragua and Iran to the SALT treaty which actually gives the U.S. and the Soviet Union freedom to continue the arms race, to continuing and rampant inflation and unemployment, it is clear to see that the U.S. is in the midst of a rapidly deepening economic and political crisis. What is also clear is that there is a growing movement in this country that is seriously questioning and standing up to the ruling class. Thousands have demonstrated and taken action against the whole nuclear industry from weapons to energy; anti-draft demonstrations have occurred all over the country directly challenging the imperialists plans for war; people have risen up and responded with righteous violence against growing police brutality against minorities from Houston to Birmingham to Worcester, Mass; truckers and farmers have defiantly gone straight up

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Nine of the seventeen Mao Tsetung Defendants, including RCP Chairman, Bob Avakian at a rally in D.C. in July.

against the U.S. government's squeeze and in many cases have united others in the struggle, such as what happened in the Levittown rebellion, the Pennsylvania incident that Eizenstat referred to. Within all this are signs of future uprisings as the crisis deepens and the masses of people are forced to bear the brunt of it. It is in this context that the Revolutionary Communist Party is under attack. A quote from a cop from Cincinnati sums it up pretty good. He said to someone in the Revolutionary Communist Youth Brigade (youth organization of the RCP), "It's not you guys I'm worried about. It's all the people that agree with you but are silent now."

A CALL TO STAND WITH THE MAO TSE TUNG DEFENDANTS

This newsletter is a call. A call to people from all walks of life who hate this system and the abuses and oppression it spews out, who hate the BIG LIE that the problems in this country are either caused by OPEC or the greed of the people, the BIG LIE that we can't change anything, that if we rise up it won't accomplish anything. This is a call for people to step forward and stand with the Mao Tsetung Defendants.

The government thinks it can go on with their dirty business in the dark of the night, that these revolutionaries were acting on their own and did not represent the highest hopes and yearnings of the great majority of people. But as one of the defendants said at a rally in D.C.: "We were rattling the slave chains."

"FREEDOM IS LIKE A LOTTERY TICKET, YOU GOTTA PLAY TO WIN"- OR - CAN WE REALLY BUILD THESE COMMITTEES?

We must build these committees and yes it is really possible- we can build these committees.

We have to build these committees because our understanding of how to "Free the Mao Tsetung Defendants" and "Stop the Railroad of Bob Avakian" is based on relying and uniting with the broad masses of people, creating broad public opinion around these attacks and the coming trials, and making this whole vicious railroad backfire in their faces.

But is it really possible? A member of the RCP in D.C. recently told this story: "In 1970, when the Black Panther Party was under sharp attack in this country I knew this lawyer who didn't agree with revolution. We often got into sharp arguments about politics and the need for revolution. During the time when a speaking tour was set up for Black Panther Masai Hewitt on the West Coast, I went to a fund-raising cocktail party for the Panthers. It turned out that this same lawyer had organized and hosted the fund-raising party. I asked, how could it be that he was hosting this party with all the disagreements he had about revolution? He said, 'Well, these guys are coming under sharp attack for the stand they take. No, I don't agree with it all, but I'm certainly going to stand with them on these attacks.'"

Now that's some of what we're talking about. There's a lawyer in Chicago who wrote and researched an article for a Chicago Lawyers newsletter on these attacks and the coming

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Trial date Set for Nov. 1976!

trials; there's a woman in D.C. who has ties with the American Civil Liberties Union who has actively participated in the Committee and wants to raise these attacks with her friends and members of the ACLU. There's an electronics worker in Massachusetts who has been working on a poster for wall-hanging to use for fund-raising. Are there people out there who will participate and help build these committees? We might as well ask, "Are there people?" People from all walks of life are checking this campaign out already. But it is up to us to reach out everywhere - broadly to wherever people are gathering, outdoor concerts, demonstrations, rallies picnics as well as on a one-to-one basis, seeking out progressive individuals, some that we've known and others that we hear about in the course of our work. And we should reach out to all kinds of organizations and committees and offer to speak before their groups, putting forward the Committee and the need for support.

The main basis of unity for these committees is expressed in the two slogans: Free the Mao Tsetung Defendants and Stop the Railroad of Bob Avakian. But people that come around to these committees are coming for many different reasons. In fact, many people that we've talked to around the country are interested in these committees not just because they are outraged over these attacks on revolutionaries but because they are inspired by the Revolutionary Communist Party, by the militant demonstration which was led by the Party in January, by the Party's bold stand and analysis not only of the reversals in China but of the deepening economic and political crisis in this country, the real threat of World War III and the real possibility of revolution within the next decade. We should definitely reach out and involve such people in these committees - but we should avoid thinking that only people who want revolution can be activists in the Committees to Free the Mao Tsetung Defendants.

THE QUESTION OF MONEY (OR - WHEREVER YOU GO, SHAKE THOSE CANS.)

The National Committee to Free the Mao Tsetung Defendants needs \$30,000 as soon as possible. That sounds like a lot of money. But we should begin even in small ways to raise money and send some of it regularly to the Committee in D.C. We will then be in a better position to help coordinate and generate even more money for National Coordination and our work around the country.

Some committees have begun to to grasp the question of fund-raising. People in Cincinnati and others areas have sold the newsletter for 15c or 25c when appropriate. The committee in Baltimore raised \$75.00 at a bake sale recently. They united a small grocery store owner in a shopping center around letting them use the space in front of his store. Friends and relatives of people on the committee baked the goods and people not only raised money but created a lot of public opinion on what's coming down with these trials. In Boston, recently, people sold 40 balloons saying "Free the Mao Tsetung Defendants." (These balloons have been reprinted with both slogans and the Chicago committee is still willing to take orders for them.) In general wherever we go we should be asking for donations and taking out those cans and shaking them!

But we have to think big! Lawyers fees have mounted up. We already owe thousands of dollars. On a lesser scale is the question of having effective national coordination of this campaign. Our telephone bills here are huge (July - over \$200.00). Just the cost of producing this newsletter and other materials and mailing it out around the country will soon become an impossible task if money doesn't start coming in.

Materials planned:

- A button (already designed)
- A brochure
- A slide show
- A poster specifically on the trials

Fund-raising materials:

- A T-shirt
- silk screen posters
- wall hangings with Mao's poems



Silk-screen poster - available for fund-raising. Red graphic printed on various colors. 16 inches wide and 13 inches deep. Call Sam for more info.

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We are in the process of drawing up a statement that can be signed by groups and individuals and published in newspapers in support of the Mao Tse-tung Defendants.

In thinking big let's ask are there celebrities out there who could help us raise money? Is there precedence for this? Leonard Bernstein gave benefit concerts for the Black Panther Party. Are there progressive celebrities who could give support to this campaign? Where would Woody Allen stand on these attacks? He produced a movie called "The Front" about the government attack on writers and artists that were associated with the Communist Party in the 50's. Funnel ideas or breakthroughs in this area to Sam in D.C.

PRESS WORK AND PUBLIC RELATIONS

In some areas around the country there are people working with the Revolutionary Communist Party that have particular responsibility around press. Committee people that do press work should be in touch with these people who do this work with the Party. We can help each other out in this crucial area of work because the RCP has had some experience and made some breakthroughs around the press and these should be popularized. Local news coverage and feature stories should be clipped, copied and sent to Sam in D.C. and to people in Chicago that work with the RCP on this front. The address in Chicago is: Box 3486, Merchandise Mart, Chicago, Illinois 60654 (mark the material "press").

Press clippings and packets are very useful. We will be sending some out from D.C. More will be sent out from Chicago to those who work with the RCP around this area of the press.

In different areas people should investigate to find out what magazines and newspapers should be approached for feature articles. In Chicago, the committee is trying to get articles in "Mother Jones" and "In These Times". We should think broad from "Seven Days" to "People" magazine but not overlook publications that have smaller circulations. Why not a paperback on the Mao Tse-tung Defendants? Is a spot on "60 Minutes" out of the question? Already there have been a number of talk shows where the Committees have been given time and some hour-long radio interviews as well! Here in D.C. the second biggest black radio station, WHUR, called us up a number of times off of press releases and taped segments for their hour long news program at 6:00 p.m.

LETTER FROM RUCHELL MCGEE

We have begun to receive contributions, inquiries and letters here in D.C. Recently, we received a letter from political prisoner, Ruchell Cinque McGee from Folsom, California. The letter was sent to Bob Avakian and The Mao Tse-tung Defendants.

Here's a portion of his letter:
"16 -years on a police and Judge Frame-up, but not a third of truth of my illegal imprisonment is known in the community. If so, 'all court proceedings' throughout America would be investigated for ties in the slave-operation, etc. against society..."

We are beginning to hit a raw nerve. Dust will rise as the decaying marbled halls of "justice" are shaken at their roots. We will free the Mao Tse-tung Defendants.

FREE THE MAO TSETUNG DEFENDANTS! STOP THE RAILROAD OF BOB AVAKIAN!

"We can clasp the moon in the Ninth Heaven
And seize turtles deep down in the Five Seas;
We'll return amid triumphant song and laughter.
Nothing is hard in this world
If you dare to scale the heights."

from a poem by Mao Tse-tung

"Ascending Ching-kang-shan"

EMBASSY FIVE TRIAL

Friday, Aug. 3, Washington, D.C. - The jury returned after deliberating for 80 minutes. The court room was tense. On one side of the room were friends and supporters of the Embassy Five. On the other side, in a show of force, an equal amount of plain clothes cops.

"Will the defendants please rise." All of us stood up as the cops' heads whipped around. By now, the third day of the trial, even some of the new people who had witnessed the whole three days, stood up with us. The four men were not alone.

The foreman of the jury said "guilty." And one by one all of the members of the jury repeated the verdict.

Before the jury left, Mark Jackson, rose from the defendants table and said:

"This court may convict us today but history will free the Mao Tsetung Defendants and revolution will be made in this country."

This statement made minutes before each of the men were to face Judge June Green for sentencing. But it was not out of character. From the opening of the trial until the end, the five men carried forward the same bold uncompromising stand that led them to make history last January 24.

On that day the Chinese Embassy was pelted with lead sinkers and white paint to protest the reversals being made in once-socialist China, by Teng Hsiao-ping - and to protest as well the selling of the Chinese people into the U.S. war block.

This was a political trial and for the Revolutionary Communist Party and the Committee to Free the Mao Tsetung Defendants it represented a real step forward in preparing for the major battle ahead, the trial of the 17 Mao Tsetung defendants, including RCP Chairman, Bob Avakian.

There was no compromising, no buckling under, as the prosecution desperately tried to portray these men as crazies - hell bent on destruction. The men got under his skin.

"You don't agree with the politics of the U.S. Government?"

"No!"

"Well, Why don't you leave!"

Greg Ford snapped: "I want to change things here!"

Later, defense lawyers hit Collins for his "love it or leave it" mentality saying it represented the views of a class with vested interests, temporarily in power.

Each of the five men, described the political statement that was made at the Chinese Embassy and why they

felt it was a "life or death" question to participate in the action.

Throughout the cross-examination the prosecution tried to link the Embassy Five with the demonstration on January 29.

"Were you at the demonstration on January 29th?"

"No, I was in jail," said Nelson.

"You knew that people threw lead sinkers on the 29th of January?"

Here was Collins turning reality on its head as the January 29th demonstration was viciously attacked by the police. Within this twisting of reality, the government's planned railroad of the 17 was out in the open for all to see.

The judge sentenced the four men to two years probation for the felony charge of destruction of the property of a foreign government. (One of the five was not on trial for this charge since his name was left off the indictment by an oversight.) Also, one of the men was given a three-month suspended sentence for possession of a pistol without a license, plus three years probation for the possessions charge. He will serve the two probation charges concurrently.

As we left the courtroom we were angry about the guilty verdict as well as the long probation periods.

But these men had originally faced seven felony charges, six of them trumped-up, totalling a maximum of 25 years in jail. (See committee newsletter #2 for more details.) The other six charges had been dropped in pre-trial hearings as defense lawyers ruthlessly uncovered burned evidence, erased tapes and lying gov. witnesses. There was no jury present at these pre-trial hearings.

The jury in August was faced with the task of "rising above the law" as each of the men admitted to their action at the Embassy, though it was referred to again and again as a political statement. But sharp struggle was waged in the courtroom. As one of the defense lawyers said in his closing statement:

"What was important, was not the shattering of glass but the betrayal of Mao Tsetung. What is \$800 damage compared to the hopes of 800 million people? I urge you not to tell them to go somewhere else - not to quench the fire - it's right to rebel! Free the Mao Tsetung Defendants!"

We are now more determined than ever to expose the government's plans to railroad the 17 Mao Tsetung Defendants. The battle will be taken to the streets, for that's where the verdict will be passed!

- Washington, D.C. Committee to Free the Mao Tsetung Defendants

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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (105-184369)
 FROM: SAC, BALTIMORE (100-27321) (SQ. 3) -P-
 SUBJECT: REVOLUTIONARY COMMUNIST PARTY (RCP) **100-7809**
 DOMESTIC SECURITY
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Enclosed for the Bureau are five copies each and for receiving offices one copy each of a "SPECIAL EMERGENCY BULLETIN TO ALL MEMBERS OF THE COMMITTEES TO FREE THE MAO TSETUNG DEFENDANTS," dated Friday, August 24; a news letter, captioned "COMMITTEE TO FREE THE MAO TSETUNG DEFENDANTS," and a letter, captioned "IN EMBASSY FIVE TRIAL." (U)

Enclosed information was made available by [REDACTED] a confidential source who has furnished reliable information in the past, on 8/31/79, and is being furnished to recipient offices for information. (c)

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Re BH airtel and LHM 8/27/79.

On 9/4/79, the Law Enforcement Data System (LEDS) indicated that Georgia License number GDR235 is registered to MILLER INGRAM FRANCIS, JR., 2363 Jefferson Terrace, East Point, Georgia (Metro Atlanta) on a 1977 Chevy Nova. Georgia License number SUE 940 is registered to WAYNE WEBB, 1687 Candler Road, Decatur, Georgia (Metro Atlanta) on a 1978 Ford.

FRANCIS (Atlanta file 100-8205, Bufile 105-263091) was closed by communication to the Bureau on 9/11/74, indicating that investigation to date had determined that subject was not known to embrace revolutionary ideology in a political sense and never exhibited a propensity for violence. He did however, possess an "anti-establishment" attitude. He was employed by the Atlanta Legal Aid Society and active in the Atlanta Chapter of the U.S. - China People's Friendship Association (USCPFA). The Atlanta Division did not feel that an interview of subject appropriate as it would possibly alert him to Bureau interest in the USCPFA.

In 1976, FRANCIS was arrested by East Point Police Department for defacing city and public property by placing posters on telephone poles across from the Owens-Illinois Glass Container Division pertaining to the July 4th Coalition in Philadelphia celebrating the Bicentennial. The July 4th Coalition was sponsored by RCP.

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It is further noted that FRANCIS was one of those arrested along with other RCP followers in WDC January 29, 1979, in connection with the visit of Vice Premier TENG HSAIO-PING (PRC).

Atlanta indices contain no info on Webb.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Buffalo, New York 14202

September 25, 1979

In Reply, Please Refer to
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REVOLUTIONARY COMMUNIST PARTY

On August 29, 1979, BU T-1 advised that DAVID NOLL, a known member of the Revolutionary Communist Party (RCP) in Buffalo, New York, rented Livingston Hall, Kleinhans Music Hall, for a speech by RCP National Chairman ROBERT AVAKIAN for Friday evening, August 31, 1979. Source further advised that there have been signs posted around various areas of Buffalo, New York, advertising this speech and making reference to revolution and addressing individuals to attend AVAKIAN's speech. The source advised that the rhetoric contained on this poster is violent in tone and is calling for revolution in the country. A copy of this poster is as follows:

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"To All Who Refuse To Live and Die on Your Knees!"

★ Don't miss the chance to hear one of the serious revolutionary leaders of this country Bob Avakian, Chairman of the Revolutionary Communist Party, speak.

★ He is the leader of the only revolutionary organization seriously working to make revolution.

★ When you hear Avakian speak you will know why the government is trying to jail him and squash the RCP and you will know where you got to be and what you got to do to end this blood-sucking system. It will change your whole life.



★ He is the revolutionary facing charges which total up to 241 years in jail.

Get Down with the RCP—Hear Avakian Speak:

TIME: FRIDAY, AUG. 31 - 8:00 P.M. Admission

\$2.00

**PLACE: LIVINGTON HALL AT
KLEINHANS MUSIC HALL**

(AT PORTER & RICHMOND)

In the past year alone 300 members and supporters of the RCP have been arrested, over 100 on serious felonies, and to top off the list Bob Avakian and 16 other Mao Tsetung Defendants face up to 100 years in jail or more... and why? Because the RCP has refused to bow down to the grinning murderers who rule this country and the miserable traitors to revolution like those now ruling China. When head hatchet man in China, Teng Hsiao-ping, came to conspire with the rulers of this country, the RCP organized powerful demonstrations that went right up in their face, exposed them for what they are, and ripped the covers off this sell-out of China to imperialism and enlistment of China in the U.S. bloc for World War III. Hundreds marched, holding high the standard of revolution and the greatest revolutionary of our time, Mao Tsetung. In response, in Washington, D.C. the demonstration was attacked by an army of riot-equipped police, who clubbed, maced and arrested everyone they could reach. Now, 17 people, including Bob Avakian, have been indicted on multiple felony counts of "rioting" and "assaulting police officers"!

For more information:

895-6561

We must seize the time now, we cannot allow the RCP and its chairman to get squashed. We must defend and support the Million Dollar Fund Drive of the RCP, which will spread the flames of revolution. Revolutionary Fighters Step Forward—Get Down with the RCP—Take Up the Banner of Revolution!!

To meet enormous legal costs, greatly extend distribution of Party literature, especially its weekly newspaper, the *Revolutionary Worker*, build for a mass revolutionary May Day in 1980 and overall expand the Party's work.

To send funds or for more information, contact the RCP in your area or write RCP Publications, Box 3486, Merchandise Mart, Chicago, IL 60654, or the Committee to Free the Mao Tsetung Defendants, Box 6422, T. Station, Washington, D.C. 20009, or People United to Fight Police Brutality, c/o Revolutionary Worker, Box 18112, Houston, TX 77023.

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On September 7, 1979, BU T-2 advised that RCP National Chairman ROBERT AVAKIAN gave a speech in Buffalo, New York, on the evening of August 31, 1979, before approximately 50 to 60 members and supporters of the RCP at Kleinhans Music Hall. Source stated that the evening started approximately one hour late at 9:00 PM with a greeting by local RCP Leader ROBERT STAUBER. This was followed by two revolutionary poetry readings which were conducted by local Buffalo, New York supporters of the RCP. Following this were several short testimonials regarding the need for revolution which were also given by local individuals. There was then a pitch made for money for the RCP Million Dollar Fund Drive to pay for legal expenses which are being incurred by AVAKIAN and other RCP members in connection with their arrests in Washington, D.C. After this, AVAKIAN was introduced by local RCP member DAVID NOLL, and he began his speech at approximately 9:30 PM.

The source further advised that AVAKIAN spoke about the trial which is taking place in Washington, D.C. in which case he and other RCP members have been held in contempt of court. He advised that they have been manacled behind closed doors and the "pigs" beat them before they go into the court room and threaten them with further beatings if they report this information. AVAKIAN mentioned that they were held in contempt for wearing T-shirts to court, but they found this to be amusing and ironic, inasmuch as the Judge is allowed to wear a dress. Source advised that this brought great laughter and cheering from those in attendance at the speech.

Source advised that AVAKIAN's speech was generously laced with cursing and obscenities and was highly critical of organized religion. He mentioned that people should not spend money on revival tents and church as there is no God or hereafter. He stated that peoples' money should go to promote revolution and that this would be the salvation of the country. In referring to the alleged violence which occurred in Washington, D.C., AVAKIAN blamed the "pigs" and said "violence begets violence." AVAKIAN made many references to the period of the late 1960's and the violence that was occurring during that time

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in the schools and universities. He called for a return to the activities of that era and said that schools and libraries should be burned down because they are not teaching the need for revolution in the country. AVAKIAN made mention of ELDRIDGE CLEAVER and the fact that he had been a hero of that earlier period but has now become a traitor to the cause.

The source advised that security for this speech was very tight and that everyone who entered the hall was subjected to a body frisk which was done by use of a metal detector. Source stated that a female conducted this search and was not believed to be one of the local members of the RCP. Source further advised that AVAKIAN was accompanied by two large males who appeared to be body guards. He was also accompanied by a white female who sat on the stage with him and appeared to be either his wife or girlfriend.

Source further advised that a reception was held for AVAKIAN following the speech which was to be at the Buffalo Area Workers Center, 1131 Broadway, Buffalo, New York.

On September 11, 1979, BU T-1 advised that approximately 14 or 15 vehicles were observed in the parking lot at Kleinhans Music Hall on the evening of AVAKIAN's speech. He stated that vehicles listed to the following known members of the RCP in Buffalo, New York, were observed:

ROBERT STAUBER

TOM LUTZE

DAVE NOLL

ALEX KOCHKIN

ALLEN GRIECHO

LINDA STAUBER

Source advised that the following out-of-town licenses were obtained at that location:

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Ohio license Z87-118
Registered to MARY L. ARUNDELL
1433 Ambrose
Cincinnati, Ohio
1973 Plymouth four-door

Ohio license 631-9PP
Registered to DAVID KARLINS
Manhattan
Dayton, Ohio 45406
1976 Plymouth, four-door

Ohio license 859-08M
(Source advised license not listed as being
on file although this tag or combination
of the numbers and letters was observed
both at 1131 Broadway in the afternoon of
August 31, 1979 and at Kleinhans Music Hall
on the evening of that date.)

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REVOLUTIONARY COMMUNIST PARTY, USA .

On October 1, 1975, the Revolutionary Union (RU) publicly announced the formation of the Revolutionary Communist Party of USA (RCP). The RU, a militant semi-covert Marxist-Leninist revolutionary organization ideologically oriented towards the People's Republic of China and the teachings of Chairman MAO Tse-tung, had as one of its main objectives, the founding of the RCP, and with the announcement of the formation of the RCP, the RU, as an organization, dissolved. Membership in the RCP is composed primarily of individuals who had previously been members of the RU.

The RCP has published a booklet entitled "Programme and Constitution of the Revolutionary Communist Party, USA." This booklet states "The programme is both a declaration of war on the ruling class and a battle plan for the working class of this country. The central task of the Revolutionary Communist Party today, as the Party of the U. S. working class, is to build the struggle, class consciousness and revolutionary unity of the working class, and develop its leadership on a broad united front against the U. S. imperialists... This means the masses of workers must rise in arms, forcibly smash and dismantle the armed forces and political apparatus of the bourgeoisie and create in their place the organs of power of the armed working class."

The Constitution of the RCP states "The Revolutionary Communist Party takes Marxism-Leninism, MAO Tse-tung thought as the theoretical basis guiding its thinking. The basic programme of the Revolutionary Communist Party is the complete overthrow of the bourgeoisie, the establishment of the dictatorship of the proletariat in place of the dictatorship of the bourgeoisie and the triumph of socialism over capitalism. The ultimate aim of the Party is the realization of communism."

Members of the RU, the predecessor and founder of the RCP, have been identified as collecting weapons while engaging in firearms and guerrilla warfare training. The RCP is headquartered in Maywood, Illinois, and utilizes the same mailing address as was utilized by the RU.

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (105-184369)

FROM : SAC, BUFFALO (100-11097) (P)

SUBJECT: REVOLUTIONARY COMMUNIST PARTY (RCP)
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(OO: CHICAGO)

DATE: 9/25/79

Enclosed for the Bureau are five copies of an LHM, dated and captioned as above. Also enclosed for Chicago are two copies of this LHM since Chicago is OO. Enclosed for Cincinnati are two copies of this LHM due to leads which are being set forth. Enclosed for each additional recipient office is one copy of the LHM for information purposes.

Sources utilized are as follows:

BU T-1 is Detective Patrolman PETER TALTY (protect request), Special Services, Buffalo PD.

BU T-2 is Mrs. MARIE ZAWADSKI (protect request), Artmore Custom Carpets, 1131 Broadway, Buffalo, NY.

Ohio license 859-08M was obtained by Buffalo PD sources at the location which is considered to be the RCP Headquarters in Buffalo, New York, earlier in the day on 8/31/79, and was again seen at the location of AVAKIAN's speech on that same date in the evening. The vehicle was checked through the police computer and was returned as "Not on file." It was felt by Buffalo PD sources that this vehicle may have been

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connected with AVAKIAN's appearance and that a number or letter was incorrectly obtained. For this reason, Buffalo is setting a lead for Cincinnati in hopes that a similar number will be familiar to the Cincinnati Office as a known RCP member.

LEADS

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AT CHICAGO, ILLINOIS

Will furnish any additional information to Buffalo with may be pertinent and of interest to Buffalo in connection with AVAKIAN's appearance.

CINCINNATI

AT COLUMBUS AND DAYTON, OHIO

1. Determine if DAVID KARLINS and MARY L. ARUNDELL are known RCP members.

2. Determine if Ohio license 859-08M or some similar combination is known to be registered to an RCP member and furnish any positive information to Buffalo.

BUFFALO

AT BUFFALO, NEW YORK

Will continue investigation of RCP.

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REVOLUTIONARY COMMUNIST PARTY (RCP), DOMESTIC SECURITY;

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ON NOVEMBER 3, 1979, A REPRESENTATIVE OF THE METROPOLITAN
POLICE DEPARTMENT (MPD), WASHINGTON, D.C. (WDC), ADVISED THE
FBI, WASHINGTON FIELD, THAT JACK WOODWARD, SAINT STEPHENS
CHURCH, WDC, WAS APPROACHED BY GREICO (PHONETIC) FROM ROCHESTER,
NEW YORK, NATALIE HULK (PHONETIC) FROM CINCINNATI, OHIO, AND

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LATER WAYNE (LAST NAME UNKNOWN) (LNU), A NEGRO MALE FROM ATLANTA, GEORGIA, AND LEO LOPEZ, A CHICANO FROM LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA, ALL IDENTIFIED AS MEMBERS OF THE "COMMITTEE TO FREE THE MAO TSE TUNG DEMONSTRATORS," FURTHER DESCRIBED AS THE 17 PEOPLE (RCP MEMBERS) WHO WERE ARRESTED WHILE DEMONSTRATING AGAINST THE U.S.

THE PURPOSE OF THE VISITS WERE TO STRONGLY URGE WOODWARD TO USE THE CHURCH TO HOLD MEETINGS AND TO LODGE APPROXIMATELY 150 DEMONSTRATORS WHO WILL BE IN WDC TO PROTEST THE CURRENT FEDERAL TRIAL OF THE 17 RCP MEMBERS.

WOODWARD REFUSED THE LODGING AS HIS CHURCH GROUP IS NON-VIOLENT AND "CLUBS" WERE OBSERVED "IN PLASTIC BAGS" WHEN A MEETING AT THE CHURCH WAS PREVIOUSLY PERMITTED.

ADMINISTRATIVE:

RECIPIENTS ARE REQUESTED TO SEARCH NAMES OF RCP MEMBERS, FURNISH WASHINGTON FIELD BRIEF DESCRIPTIONS AND ADVISE OF ANY OTHER RCP MEMBERS KNOWN TO BE TRAVELING TO WDC AND OF ANY PROPENSITY FOR VIOLENCE.

WASHINGTON FIELD WILL FURNISH ADDITIONAL DESCRIPTIONS BY TELEPHONE OR OTHER COMMUNICATIONS AS AVAILABLE.

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Brief description of activity or material

Meeting of RCP members passing out literature
on University of Alabama, Birmingham,
campus

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* INDIVIDUALS DESIGNATED BY AN ASTERISK (*) ONLY ATTENDED A MEETING AND DID NOT ACTIVELY PARTICIPATE.
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On October 24, 1979 members of the Revolutionary Communist Party were on the campus of the University of Alabama in Birmingham. Among the members of this party that were present;

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The purpose of the party being on campus was to distribute literature on the beliefs and functions of the R.C.P. and also to enlarge student support for the case of the U.S. v.s. Bob Avakian - national leader for the R.C.P.

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It was announced that a large motorcade of R.C.P. members were scheduled to leave Phillips high school - Birmingham on Saturday, Oct. 27, 1979 at 1:00 P.M. for the purpose of going to Atlanta to hear Bob Avakian speak. It was said that upon arriving at Atlanta, all members of the R.C.P. would remain

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after taking names and numbers
of some of the people that received
the literature, it was said that they would
be contacted for future plans of the party.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to
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Birmingham, Alabama
November 3, 1979

REVOLUTIONARY COMMUNIST PARTY (RCP);
DOMESTIC SECURITY - RCP

On October 1, 1979, BH T-1 advised that a planning session of the Revolutionary Communist Party (RCP) was to be held at the Miles College Student Union Building on October 8, 1979. Miles College is a predominantly black college in Birmingham, Alabama.

On October 3, 1979, BH T-2 advised of anticipated attendance at the RCP meeting at Miles College on October 6, 1979.

BH T-2 furnished the following information on October 8, 1979:

The RCP held a meeting at Miles College Student Union Building on October 6, 1979. The purpose of this meeting was to announce to the members present plans to make the RCP publicly known. Speakers at the meeting included members Wayne Webb, Bobbi Righi, and Joshua Gould. Webb spoke on the government's actions against the RCP Chairman Bob Avakian, terming the government action as "a vicious attempt to destroy anyone that is against the crookedness of the governmental system." He often referred to the government by using profane words and the flag as a red, white and blue rag, which symbolized the blood of the people that were against its warped ideals. Bobbi

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Righi's speech text advocated taking history into "our own hands" and alluded to Mayday of 1980 as being a day to serve the highest interest of the working class, and a day for marching against the oppression of the Capitalist System with its discrimination and inequality. Joshua Gould, the apparent leader of the Birmingham RCP group, talked briefly about the Mayday rally for 1980. He also included the Mao Tsetung Defendants as items for consideration in planning for the rally.

During the course of the meeting, it was noted that one person attending the meeting had a revolver partially concealed on him by a shirt-like jacket. Another weapon, either a short barrel shotgun or an automatic weapon, was brought into the meeting partially wrapped in a sleeping bag.

A total of about 150 people were present at the RCP meeting. Security at the meeting was extremely close, and four or five members were observed carrying night sticks and wore silver star-like badges with "Security" on them. Persons unknown to the RCP group were subject to questions by RCP leadership.

No plans or announcements were made about future meetings in Birmingham. The question of a demonstration against First Lady Rosalyn Carter's visit to Birmingham on October 8, 1979, was discussed. When someone asked what was planned, Bobbi Righi noted that the party was not announcing anything yet, but they had some plans. In addition, a motorcade was planned for Sunday, October 7, 1979, from Miles College to the Birmingham City Hall. The attached leaflet was handed out announcing Bob Avakian's appearance in Atlanta, Georgia, on October 27, 1979, at the Sheraton Biltmore Seminar Theater, 817 West Peachtree.

**TO ALL THOSE WHO BELIEVE IN
THE REVOLUTIONARY COMMUNIST PARTY**

Hear Bob Avakian

**Chairman of the
Revolutionary Communist Party**

**at 10:00 AM in the
Revolutionary Community
for**

"We know where this system is heading. We know it's heading into deeper crisis. We know it's heading toward a war... There are storms gathering. There are going to be upheavals. And they want to bring down the banner of revolution, because they want to go into this situation and to lead the masses in opposing them. They want the hatred of people for this system, the hatred that already burns in the hearts of the people to lead and deepen. We're going to go out and lead the revolution up. We're going to go among the people and rip the mask off the enemy. Most of all, we're going to prepare people for the time when the contradictions boil up, when the system can't go on the way it's going, when millions of people are driven to the wall, and say I'd rather die than live one more day like this. We're gonna say, let's go out, and let's not only die but let's kill to make revolution..."

IN ATLANTA

BOB AVAKIAN, CHAIRMAN OF THE CENTRAL COMMITTEE OF THE REVOLUTIONARY COMMUNIST PARTY, WILL BE SPEAKING THROUGHOUT THE COUNTRY IN THE NEXT SEVERAL MONTHS. BOB AVAKIAN IS FACING CHARGES ADDING UP TO MORE THAN 241 YEARS IN JAIL.

This is your chance to hear the leader of the only organization in this country seriously working for revolution, the organization the government is viciously attacking and declares to be the most dangerous revolutionary organization in this country.

When you hear Bob Avakian speak you will know why those who rule this country are desperate to put him away and to stop the RCP. And why those who hate this whole criminal system and government are rallying more and more to the RCP!

DON'T MISS THE CHANCE TO HEAR BOB AVAKIAN SPEAK & TO GET DOWN WITH THE RCP !

For ticket
information ..

and for transportation from Birmingham, call 788-8242.

**DEFEND THE REVOLUTIONARY COMMUNIST PARTY! ASSIST THE PARTY IN SPREADING, DEEPENING
AND INTENSIFYING ITS WORK! AND ESPECIALLY RIGHT NOW, CONTRIBUTE TO AND HELP
BUILD THE RCP'S MILLION DOLLAR FUND DRIVE !!!**

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Date 11/3/79

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (105-184369)

FROM: SAC, BIRMINGHAM (100-5970) (P)

REVOLUTIONARY COMMUNIST PARTY
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Enclosed for the Bureau are five copies of a letterhead memorandum dated and captioned as above. Enclosed for Chicago and Atlanta are two copies each of LHM. Enclosed for each additional office listed is one copy of LHM. Sources utilized: BH T-1 is Sgt. DANNY ROBBINS (protect by request), University of Alabama, Birmingham Police Department; BH T-2 is

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Note announcement included in LHM re RCP meeting in Atlanta on 10/27/79. Furnish Birmingham with identity of registrant on Georgia auto license BEO-211 observed on 1977-78 gold Honda Wagon.

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REVOLUTIONARY COMMUNIST PARTY (RCP)

DOMESTIC SECURITY

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INFORMATION WHICH HAS BEEN PROVIDED BY WFO INDICATES APPROXIMATELY 150-RCP MEMBERS ARE IN WASHINGTON, D.C. AND ARE SCHEDULED TO HOLD DEMONSTRATIONS IN SUPPORT OF 17-RCP MEMBERS WHO ARE TO BE TRIED FOR THEIR PART IN THE JANUARY 1979, RIOT IN WASHINGTON, D.C. THE NATURE OF THESE DEMONSTRATIONS IS NOT KNOWN AT THIS TIME.

EACH RECIPIENT SHOULD BE ALERT TO ANY INFORMATION INDICATING RCP MEMBERS OR SUPPORTERS INTEND TO TRAVEL TO WASHINGTON, D.C. TO PARTICIPATE IN THE DEMONSTRATIONS, AND SAID PARTICIPANTS INTEND TO USE FORCE OR VIOLENCE TO ACHIEVE

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THEIR OBJECTIVES. WHILE WE ARE NOT INTERESTED IN THE
LEGITIMATE POLITICAL ACTIVITIES OF THE RCP, ANY INFORMATION
INDICATING THOSE TRAVELING TO WASHINGTON, D.C. MAY BE
INVOLVED IN VIOLENCE SHOULD BE IMMEDIATELY REPORTED TO
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TO: DIRECTOR, FBI

FROM: SAC, WFO (100-49578) (P)

REVOLUTIONARY COMMUNIST PARTY (RCP)
DOMESTIC SECURITY
(OO:CHICAGO)

Enclosed for the offices other than San Diego, San Francisco, and Milwaukee are one copy each of RCP contact addresses and telephone numbers as appeared in the 11/2/79 issue of the RCP publication "Revolutionary Worker" which are being disseminated for completion of the case files.

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Chicago be advised that following individuals possibly members of RCP or supporters thereof, arrested 11/12/79 after ascending, damaging and releasing anti-Shah of Iran flyers from the top of the Washington Monument, Washington, D.C. (WDC), according to U.S. Park Police Detective KENNY GREEN:

NATHAN LEROY BLANCO, 5633 Virginia Avenue, Los Angeles, California, Date of Birth (DOB) [REDACTED], Negro male, 5'9", 160 pounds, brown hair and eyes, nickname NATHAN; Social Security Number (SSN) [REDACTED].

WALTER BURNEY, Jr., 111-29 Larose, Cleveland, Ohio, DOB [REDACTED], Negro male, 5'11", 145 pounds, Black hair and brown eyes, Nickname WALT, SSN [REDACTED].

HARRY B. CARMICHAEL, 406 Langdon Street, Madison, Wisconsin, DOB [REDACTED], White male, 5'11", 130 pounds, blond hair and blue eyes, nickname HARRY, SSN [REDACTED].

PETER EMANUEL EISENBERG, 1409 Bellhaven Street, Salinas, California, DOB [REDACTED], Negro male, 5'10", 170 pounds, with brown hair and green eyes, nickname PETE, SSN [REDACTED].

FREDERICK MILTON HANKS, 14802 Cedar Grove, Detroit, Michigan, DOB [REDACTED], Negro male, 6'1", 180 pounds, with black hair and brown eyes, nickname FRED, SSN [REDACTED].

ALI MOHAMED HUSSIN, 2534 Holly Street, Dearborn, Michigan, DOB [REDACTED], White male, 6 feet, 225 pounds, with black hair and brown eyes, nickname ALI, SSN [REDACTED].

THOMAS F. KELLY, 15 Peverell Street, Dorchester, Massachusetts, DOB [REDACTED], white male, six feet, 155 pounds, brown hair and blue eyes, nickname TOM, SSN [REDACTED]. (All of the above charged with Disorderly Conduct and Destruction of Government Property).

Individuals listed below were also arrested on 11/12/79 at the Monument, but charged with Disorderly Conduct only:

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WILLIAM GRANT CHAVEZ, 1341 Danube Way, San Jose, California, DOB [REDACTED], male, 5'11", 145 pounds, brown hair and eyes, nickname WILLIAM, SSN [REDACTED].

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THOMAS PATRICK DONOVAN. 6314 45th, S.W. (no city or state), DOB [REDACTED], white male, 6'2", 180 pounds, brown hair and eyes, nickname TOM, SSN [REDACTED].

MARGARET GOLD, 119 10th Street, S.E., WDC, DOB [REDACTED], white female, 5'3", 100 pounds, brown hair and eyes, nickname MARGARET, SSN [REDACTED].

STEFFANI L. GREGG, 305 Mansfield Place, (no city or state), DOB [REDACTED], Negro female, 5'2", 124 pounds, brown hair and eyes, no nickname, SSN [REDACTED].

TRAVIS ANDRE MACK. 4052 Georgia Street. San Diego, California, DOB [REDACTED], Negro male, 5'10", 185 pounds, black hair and brown eyes, nickname TRAVIS, SSN [REDACTED].

JOHN ROBERT SNYDER. 907 Manhattan, Dayton, Ohio, DOB [REDACTED], white male, six feet, 170 pounds, brown hair and blue eyes, nickname JOHN, SSN [REDACTED].

For the information of all recipients, the Revolutionary Worker (supra) dated 11/9/79 advocates "Nov. 18-19 Turn D.C. Upside Down" is protest of Federal indictments of ROBERT AVAKIAN and 16 others scheduled for U.S. District Court appearances on 11/19/79.

RCP takes Marxist-Leninist - MAO TSE-TUNG feelings as theoretical basis and guide for thinking. Basic program of Party is the overthrow of bourgeoisie, establishment of dictatorship of proletariat and the triumphs of socialism over capitalism. Ultimate aim of party is the realization of communism.

Offices covering reported addresses of RCP persons arrested at the Washington Monument advise origin and WFO as to any potential for violence.

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some big sacrifices, monetary



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to be in the front lines in D.C., and
right now few will be able to. I just

selves are approaching victory.

Mao Tsetung, October 12, 1942.

We aren't quite on the verge of vic-
tory yet, but it's only a matter of time
and perseverance.

Contact the REVOLUTIONARY WORKER Box 3486, Merchandise Mart Chicago, IL 60654 in your area:

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REVOLUTIONARY COMMUNIST PARTY (RCP);
DOMESTIC SECURITY - RCP

On October 8, 1979, BH T-1 advised that some 150 people were in attendance at a Revolutionary Communist Party (RCP) meeting at Miles College, Birmingham, Alabama, on October 6, 1979. This meeting was planned with the anticipation of attendance of Bob Avakian, Secretary General of the Revolutionary Communist Party; however, he failed to show up. Local members identified at this meeting were Joshua Gould, Bobbi Righi, Janet Gould, and Wayne Webb. The purpose of this meeting was to announce plans to make the RCP publicly known. (C)

On October 30, 1979, BH T-1 advised that two black male RCP members were at the Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority at the University of Alabama in Birmingham (UAB) on October 19, 1979. They attempted to enter the party held by the sorority but were refused admittance. Both were previously observed at the RCP meeting at Miles College in Birmingham, Alabama, on October 6, 1979. These individuals were apparently attempting to solicit membership for the RCP and during the course of their conversation, they recognized two black males in attendance at the sorority party who had previously been observed at an RCP meeting. They questioned these individuals who appeared to be belligerent. In the course of their conversations with these two party attendees, they revealed that they were carrying revolvers and exhibited them as an apparent threat. (C)

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On November 4, 1979, BH T-1 advised that the RCP in Birmingham, Alabama, was apparently making an attempt in organizing a Revolutionary Youth Brigade, which is a branch of the RCP among students and faculty members at the UAB campus. As yet this group has no united organization, and potential student members are afraid to publicly organize because of UAB policies. Iranian students at UAB appear to be interested in the philosophy of the RCP; however, they refused to accept leadership of the Birmingham chapter. These students meet at various times as an interested group, and on occasion, attend RCP sponsored meetings. ~~(C)~~

On November 15, 1979, BH T-1 advised that an RCP meeting was held on November 11, 1979, at the UAB campus and was sponsored by the "Committee to Free the Mao Tse-tung Defendants." A film was shown entitled "Breaking With Old Ideas," which is a revolutionary type Mao Tse-tung film. Some 15 people were present at this meeting, including two Iranians. Those identified at the meeting were Joshua Gould, Bobbi Righi, Wanda Williams, and Andrea Himes. ~~(C)~~

The two Iranian students attending this meeting were very vocal in their anger with the United States and its citizens. Their anger was specifically voiced toward United States citizens who "rioted on the Iranian students in Texas last week." The Iranians viewed this as an act of harassment by the United States and its "paid people." According to these Iranians, if these actions continue to occur, they may have to revert to actions similar to those in Iran. One of the Iranians whom BH T-1 observed on Channel 13, local television news, a week earlier made the statement, "We may have to grab one of the big-wheeled bastards around here." On November 16, 1979, BH T-1 identified this individual as Hassein Mortazavi, who is a doctor or dentist engaged in studying at the UAB. The two Iranians called themselves members of the Union of Revolutionary Iranian Communist. ~~(C)~~

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TO : DIRECTOR (105-184369)

FROM: SAC, BIRMINGHAM (100-5970) (P)

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and Birmingham teletype to Bureau, dated 11/16/79. (U)

Full investigation initiated 3/20/79. (U)

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BY LETTER AND LHM DATED 11/26/79, CHICAGO RECOMMENDED THE CAPTIONED FULL DOMESTIC SECURITY INVESTIGATION BE CLOSED.

CHICAGO ADVISED THE ACTIVITIES OF THE RCP, AT THIS TIME, ARE NOT IN VIOLATION OF FEDERAL LAW, NOR IS THERE ANY INFORMATION WHICH INDICATES THE RCP WILL BE USING FORCE OR VIOLENCE TO ACHIEVE ITS OBJECTIVES.

THE RECIPIENTS WILL RECEIVE, BY SEPERATE COVER, COPIES OF THE CHICAGO LHM FOR INFORMATIONAL PURPOSES.

EACH OFFICE WITH CURRENT RCP FULL DOMESTIC SECURITY INVESTIGATIONS OF LOCAL CHAPTERS AND INDIVIDUALS SHOULD

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IMMEDIATELY REVIEW THESE CASES AND MAKE RECOMMENDATIONS AS TO
THE CONTINUATION OF THE INVESTIGATIONS. RECOMMENDATIONS SHOULD
REACH FBIHQ BY 12/14/79, AND SHOULD BE IN A FORM SUITABLE FOR
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12/3/79
(Date)

RE: Bureau Teletype, 11/30/79
Revolutionary Communist Party (RCP)
Domestic Security

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☐ The enclosed is for your information. If used in a future report, ☐ conceal all sources, ☐ paraphrase contents.

☐ Enclosed are corrected pages from report of SA _____ dated _____

Remarks:

Attached is a copy of the Chicago letter and LHM dated 11/26/79, as indicated in the referenced Bureau teletype.

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TO DIRECTOR, FBI (105-184369)

FROM SAC, ATLANTA (100-7809) (SQ 3) (RUC)

SUBJECT REVOLUTIONARY COMMUNIST PARTY (RCP)
DS - RCP
OO: CHICAGO

Re Atlanta airtel to Bureau, 4/27/79; Bureau teletype to Baltimore, 11/30/79; Atlanta airtel to Bureau, 12/7/79, entitled "BURNING OF THE UNITED STATES FLAG, ATLANTA, GEORGIA, 11/29/79; DESECRATION OF THE FLAG".

Atlanta has no current RCP full domestic security investigation of local chapter or individuals. As set forth in referenced communication of 4/27/79, Atlanta did not recommend a continued investigation of the RCP in Atlanta and placed its case in RUC status.

Atlanta concurs with Chicago that continued investigation of the RCP is not warranted under the Attorney General's guidelines.

Information pertaining to disposition of the matter of referenced desecration of the flag will be submitted under that caption.

In view of the above, Atlanta is placing this case in RUC status.

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UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE
FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

In Reply, Please Refer to
File No.

Buffalo, New York
December 11, 1979

REVOLUTIONARY COMMUNIST PARTY

The August 17, 1979 issue of "Revolutionary Worker," which was distributed locally in Buffalo, New York, contained the following article regarding the three Federal Bureau of Investigation (FBI) Special Agents who had been shot to death on August 9, 1979, in two separate incidents:

This document contains neither recommendations nor conclusions of the FBI. It is the property of the FBI and is loaned to your agency; it and its contents are not to be distributed outside your agency.

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A BAD DAY for the FBI A GOOD DAY for the People

"Today was the worst day of violence in the history of the FBI," mourned Director William Webster. But while August 9th certainly upset J. Edgar Hoover's successors, no tears were shed by the people. Within a period of only several hours, three agents of the hated FBI were shot down, two in El Centro, California, and one in Cleveland, Ohio.

In El Centro, Jim Maloney went to the local FBI office with a shotgun in one hand and a pistol in the other. He blew away the entire local bureau. Maloney, mortally wounded in the shootout, then killed himself.

Jim Maloney had been a political activist in the past. He had marched against the Vietnam war and participated in more recent struggles, including the fight of California farmworkers in the Imperial Valley where El Centro is located. Like many others, he had been continually hounded and harassed by the FBI for his political activity. They had kept him under surveillance for over ten years, no

doubt applying many of the disgusting techniques which have made these bastards notorious. In the end, Maloney lashed out at these agents of the ruling class, and as their fellow political policemen grieve, they have little company.

Meanwhile, in a Black community in Cleveland, not only were no tears shed, but the people cheered in joy at the sight of the third casualty of the FBI's worst day. The dead, sheet-draped body of agent John Oliver was carried from the decaying, rat infested housing project known as Carver Park Estates. The other officers looked on grim-faced as a crowd gathered and people laughed and clapped.

Oliver and five other FBI agents had smashed into the apartment of accused rapist Melvin Bay Guyon, expected a routine arrest. What happened was anything but routine—one agent bit the dust and Guyon got away, unhurt in a hail of bullets.

In the wake of Oliver's death, authorities have unleashed a wave of

gestapo terror against the Black community. Over 400 FBI agents, SWAT teams and other cops have kicked in doors, forced families out at gunpoint, aimed sawed-off shotguns in the faces of little children, and have stopped, searched and arrested scores in a widening dragnet. People are outraged and standing up to the attacks. An old Black man boiling with anger said, "Already thousands across the country were killed or hurt since Oliver, and not a damn thing is done. One of their own, one lousy cop is killed and they send in a whole army."

As fifty cops were breaking into one man's apartment, they yelled to him, "Get those kids out of here now or you'll never see them alive." The FBI offered a \$10,000 reward, now increased to \$20,000, as bait to get Guyon. "It won't be long before he's caught. \$10,000 is a lot of money for those people," one police spokesman boasted. The cops, in fact, got over a thousand "hot tips"—sending them on a wild goose chase all over the state! The

police captain had to admit, "If all this guy's friends could vote, he'd be mayor." For a week, Guyon outmaneuvered this massive manhunt, the biggest in Cleveland's history, until his capture on August 16 in Youngstown after a shootout with four FBI agents.

In response to this invasion, 100 people joined in a demonstration organized by the RCP and RCYB (Revolutionary Communist Youth Brigade). The march was in sharp contrast to the meanderings of the NAACP and various Black politicians who predictably called for a federal investigation. This time such a call is even more ridiculous—the FBI which has sent 400 agents to terrorize Cleveland's Black community, is now invited to investigate itself impartially!

Obviously, the FBI's show of force is a response to more than one dead agent. What the FBI Director was really thinking about when he described August 8th as "The worst day...in the history of the FBI" was the sight of the masses celebrating Oliver's demise. ■

REVOLUTIONARY COMMUNIST PARTY

On November 15, 1979, BU T-1, who has furnished reliable information in the past, advised that the Revolutionary Communist Party (RCP) held a meeting at 1131 Broadway on the evening of November 14, 1979, which was suspected to be to make plans to attend a proposed demonstration by Iranian students at the State University of New York at Buffalo (SUNYAB) which was to take place on November 15, 1979. On November 15, 1979, BU T-1 further advised that he observed members of RCP in the area where the Iranian demonstration was to take place and that these individuals were obviously trying to incite the crowd using anti-U.S. rhetoric. He stated that they distributed a leaflet throughout the crowd captioned, "U.S. Keep Your Bloody Hands Off Iran," which stated therein that it was published by the RCP.

On November 16, 1979, BU T-1 advised that on that date he had observed a playback of a videotape at local Buffalo, New York, television station Channel 7. He stated that this videotape was of an incident which occurred in front of the U.S. Federal Building at approximately 5:00 PM on November 12, 1979, wherein a group of approximately ten demonstrators, who purported to be Iranian students, burned an American flag on the steps of the U.S. Federal Building, Buffalo, New York. BU T-1 advised that he observed three known RCP members in this demonstration and that the individual directing the group via a bull horn was the local Chairman of the RCP. BU T-1 advised that although the one person who burned the American flag had his face completely covered with a ski mask, he resembled in general body build and physical description another known member of the RCP.

The "Buffalo Courier-Express," a daily Buffalo, New York newspaper, reported in the November 29, 1979 issue that on November 28, 1979, a message was discovered spray painted on the U.S. Federal Building in Buffalo, New York, which stated, "Hands Off Iran," and was accompanied by the logo "RCP." The "Courier-Express" further reported that a caller to the newspaper had stated that the initials stand for "Revolutionary Communist Party" and the message was intended to symbolize the Party's opposition to any U.S. actions against Iran in the wake of the situation at the American Embassy in Tehran.

On November 29, 1979, BU T-1 advised that a symposium was held on that date at SUNYAB to discuss the Iranian situation. He stated that there were [redacted] of the RCP who were in attendance at this symposium.

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REVOLUTIONARY COMMUNIST PARTY

On November 29, 1979, a Special Agent of the U.S. Secret Service, Buffalo, New York, advised that during a recent appearance in Buffalo, New York, by presidential candidate Senator EDWARD KENNEDY, several members of the RCP were in attendance at his speech and attempted to unfurl a banner. He stated that they were prevented from doing this by individuals attending the speech and that the RCP members were escorted from the convention hall and were interviewed by U.S. Secret Service.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

TO : DIRECTOR, FBI (105-184369)

DATE: 12/11/79

FROM : SAC, BUFFALO (100-11097) (P)

SUBJECT: REVOLUTIONARY COMMUNIST PARTY (RCP)
DS
(OO: CHICAGO)

Re Bureau teletype to Buffalo, 11/30/79, and
Buffalo LHMs to the Bureau, 5/29/79 and 9/25/79.

Enclosed for the Bureau are five copies of an
LHM dated and captioned as above. Also enclosed for Chicago
are two copies of this LHM since Chicago is Office of Origin.
Enclosed for each additional recipient office is one copy
of the LHM for information purposes.

BU T-1 is Detective Patrolman PETER TALTY (Protect),
Special Services, Buffalo Police Department. The Special
Agent from U.S. Secret Service is PHILIP KIEFFER.

Referenced Buffalo LHM dated 5/29/79 set forth
the following information which would indicate the violent
nature of the Revolutionary Communist Party (RCP) in the
Buffalo Division:

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- 2 - Bureau (Encs. 5) (RM)
 - 2 - Atlanta (Enc. 1) (RM)
 - 2 - Baltimore (100-27231) (Enc. 1) (RM)
 - 2 - Birmingham (100-5970) (Enc. 1) (RM)
 - 2 - Chicago (100-56839) (Encs. 2) (RM)
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1. Revolutionary rhetoric which appeared in the January-February, 1979, issue of "The Worker" explaining the reason the title of the paper was being changed to "Revolutionary Worker."
2. The arrest of a local RCP member involved in vandalism to a University school bus to show support of striking bus drivers.
3. A leaflet distributed at a Buffalo area high school containing strong rhetoric in describing the incident which took place in Texas involving the "Moody Park Three."
4. An incident which occurred at the State University of New York at Buffalo (SUNYAB) wherein two Special Agents conducting a Career Day were verbally harassed and signs advertising the Career Day were torn from bulletin boards by an RCP member.
5. Two RCP members appeared on a local Buffalo, New York, radio show using violent rhetoric in describing their plans for the future and calling for a return to the violence during the era of the late 1960s.
6. Arrest of three individuals distributing RCP literature at Ford Motor Company which resulted when they attempted to run down a plant guard with a vehicle.

The Buffalo LHM dated 9/25/79 reports an appearance in Buffalo, New York, by RCP Chairman ROBERT AVAKIAN which was heralded by a poster and leaflets distributed containing violent rhetoric. AVAKIAN, during his speech, also called for a return to the activity during the days of campus disorders in which he included that schools and libraries should be torched because they are not teaching the need for revolution in the country.

BU 100-11097

The enclosed LHM reports continued activity along the same lines as has been previously reported by Buffalo, in that the RCP has recently become involved in the turmoil regarding the Iranian situation and has been responsible for the burning of an American flag at the U.S. Federal Building in Buffalo, New York, and also an incident involving spray painting of a slogan on the walls of the Federal Building.

The 8/17/79 issue of "The Revolutionary Worker," which was distributed in Buffalo, New York, contained an article captioned, "A Bad Day for the FBI - A Good Day for the People," which recounted the incidents which occurred on 8/9/79 wherein two FBI Special Agents were shot and killed in El Centro, California, and one in Cleveland, Ohio. This article, which has been reproduced for the enclosed LHM, shows the total disregard the RCP has for anyone representing law enforcement or good order in society. The tone of the article, applauding the shooting incidents which had occurred and the inflammatory rhetoric regarding the work of the FBI, again is indicative of the violent nature of the RCP.

Since the RCP case was reopened in January, 1979, the activities of the organization in Buffalo, New York, have continually shown a violent nature of this organization and they have been involved locally on a number of occasions in violence, both against local officials and committed against U.S. Federal property. Buffalo is of the opinion that the activities of the RCP do fall within the Attorney General's guidelines for Domestic Security investigations and recommends that investigation be continued.

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AT BUFFALO, NEW YORK

Will continue to investigate the activities of the RCP.

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

Memorandum

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TO : SAC, BALTIMORE (100-27321) (SQ. 3) (P) DATE: 12/5/79

FROM : SA ANTHONY COLODONATO

FOIA(b) (7) - (D)

SUBJECT: REVOLUTIONARY COMMUNIST PARTY MEETING
AT WASHINGTON, D.C.
9/23/79

100-7809-421

On 10/4/79, [REDACTED], a confidential source who has furnished reliable information in the past, furnished the following information:

On 9/23/79, the Revolutionary Communist Party (RCP) members of Baltimore and Washington, D.C. met at the National RCP office in Washington, D.C., 2108 18th Street, N.W. The meeting began with a short skit showing the correct way to knock on doors and agitate people to join the Revolutionary Movement.

Many of the members present spoke on how to verbally revolutionize people. One man said that when we contact people, we should try to teach them the reasons for having a revolution but we should not become too revolutionary, as to turn off the people and ostracize ourselves. The man added that if we want to successfully get more people into the Revolutionary Movement, we should work just a little bit ahead of the masses' thinking.

Everyone present criticized this man and said we must agitate and attempt to revolutionize to the fullest. People are disgusted and confused and are ready to listen about revolution.

An RCP member said that agitation is part of the science of making revolution. When we agitate and preach revolution, we are ripping the mass of the bourgeoisie and exposing them.

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~~DATE OF REVIEW FOR DECLASSIFICATION: DECEMBER 5, 1999~~

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"The RCP issued a pamphlet entitled "Create Public Opinion - Seize Power". These are Mao's words. Revolution is no idle dream. We dare not only to dream of revolution, but to work unceasingly for this dream." (C)

"We will live to make the revolutionary overthrow of the Capitalist system and, if necessary, we will also know how to die for it." (C)

The RCP National Office in Chicago has produced hundreds of copies of tapes of the speech made by BOB AVAKIAN, the RCP leader, in Washington, D.C. in May, 1979. This speech told how to prepare for revolution and how to achieve it. (S)

These tapes have been issued to all RCP locals with instructions to play them to people in their homes and to use this activity as a basis to bring people into the revolutionary struggle under the direction of the RCP. The use of the national paper, "The Revolutionary Worker", should also be used to bring people into the revolutionary struggle under the direction of the RCP. (S)

The tapes are sold for \$6.00 each and efforts are being made to sell these tapes. (C)

The following person attended the above mentioned meeting:

ANNE DYNES, ATLANTA

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TO : SAC, BALTIMORE (100-27321) (SQ. 3) (P) DATE: 12/6/79

FROM : SA ANTHONY COLODONATO

SUBJECT: REVOLUTIONARY COMMUNIST PARTY
MEETING AT WASHINGTON, D.C.
9/23/79

FOIA(b) (7) - (D)

On 10/4/79, [REDACTED], a confidential source who has provided reliable information in the past, furnished the following:

On Sunday, September 23, 1979, approximately 25 Revolutionary Communist Party (RCP) members met at their new headquarters, 2108, Northwest, 18th Street, Washington, D.C. The new office has been set up to assist in the defense of the forthcoming trial of the Mao-Tse-Tung defendants. At the meeting were representatives of the RCP from Chicago, Baltimore and Atlanta.

The trial of the Mao-Tse-Tung defendants is scheduled to start November 19, 1979, and all the local RCP groups are being assessed to support this office. Also at the meeting, a discussion was held concerning the feasibility of maintaining this national office after the trial of the Mao-Tse-Tung defendants.

It was pointed out at the meeting that BOB AVAKIAN will be in Washington, D.C. from October 13 - 15, 1979, and a big RCP meeting will be held at that time.

The purpose of this meeting was to discuss ways of getting the masses familiar with the issues and to educate the people for revolution. It was pointed out that members should go out and sell "The Revolutionary Worker", the Party newspaper, and spend time talking with the people. It was further pointed out that one issue of the "Revolutionary Worker" contained a big headline concerning BOB AVAKIAN, but inside the paper there were issues which would have more meaning to individuals who are concerned with jobs, etc.

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It was also pointed out during the meeting that while the trial of AVAKIAN is of the utmost importance to RCP members, the masses must be educated to other facts of daily living which are controlled by the Capitalist system, and they must be made aware of the fact that the system must be changed, and the ultimate change will be brought about by revolution. The basis for this revolutionary activity is outlined in a pamphlet written by LENIN when he was preparing the Russian communists for the Russian Revolution. This pamphlet is entitled, "What's to be Done?" (C)

A representative of the RCP from the National Office in Chicago stated that a militant Communist Party has to be flexible and able to make changes according to conditions which presently exist in order to carry out a nationwide armed uprising. The publication of "The Revolutionary Worker" will provide revolutionaries with the most effective means for creating revolutionary public opinion and building the Party and network of trained revolutionary fighters under it's leadership. (C)

The following person attended the above meeting:

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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

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TO : SAC, BALTIMORE (100-27321) (SQ. 3) (P) DATE: 12/6/79

FROM : SA ANTHONY COLODONATO

FOIA(b) (7) - (D)

SUBJECT: INFORMATION CONCERNING
RCP NATIONAL OFFICE
WASHINGTON, D.C.

On 10/4/79, [REDACTED], a confidential source who has furnished reliable information in the past, provided the following:

The National Office in Washington, D.C., of the RCP was opened in early September, 1979, at 2108 18th Street, N.W. (X)

Two thousand dollars (\$2,000) was used to open the office and each RCP chapter in the United States was assessed \$100 in order to raise the \$2,000. (X)

The D.C. office is in the basement and is one large room about 25 feet by 50 feet. This is the second most important RCP office in the United States. (X)

It was opened for three main reasons. First, to be used as the headquarters for the defense of the MAO 17 of which BOB AVAKIAN is a defendant; second, a very large black ghetto exists in D.C. and black ghettos are considered favorable places to engage in revolutionary activities and to recruit people into the RCP; and third, it is the Government of the Capitalist system. (X)

Chicago has assigned top RCP people to man the D.C. office and they are as follows:

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LINDA PHINISH, a tall white female from Boston, slender build, in her late 20's, does much of the paper-work.

ANN DYKES, from Atlanta, Georgia, was the spokeswoman for the Embassy 5, when they were being tried in Washington, D.C.

A man from Chicago RCP Headquarters who is described as a white male, approximately 6 feet tall, medium to heavy build. He said he will be in the D.C. office for about three weeks. (C)

There are supposed to be a total of five people from various RCP cities manning the D.C. office. Three will be permanent, while the remaining two will be temporary. (C)

On the 25th of September, 1979, there will be an open house at the D.C. Office for the purpose of getting more people in the community involved. On September 30, 1979, there will be an eastcoast meeting of RCP members at the D.C. Office to prepare for the defense of the MAO-TSE-TUNG defendants and to prepare for the "tremendous 1980 May Day action". The RCP wants to make the D.C. office permanent. (C)

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AT

12/18/79

TO: DIRECTOR, FBI (105-184369)
FROM: SAC, BIRMINGHAM (100-5970)(P)
REVOLUTIONARY COMMUNIST PARTY (RCP)
DS
OO: CHICAGO

Re Bureau teletype to Atlanta dated 11/30/79 and
Birmingham LHM to Bureau dated 11/26/79.

For information of the Bureau, referenced LHM re-
flects the general level of activity of the Birmingham
Chapter of the Revolutionary Communist Party. This LHM re-
ports RCP activity at both the Miles College and University
of Alabama, Birmingham, campuses. Members of the RCP have
appeared at both campuses exhibiting weapons in an attempt
to intimidate those in attendance who may not be in sympathy
with the RCP.

In addition, the Birmingham Chapter of the
Revolutionary Communist Party has been engaged in joint meetings
with Iranian students attending various institutions through-
out the North Alabama area and in particular at the University
of Alabama, Birmingham campus. The RCP has voiced support
for the Iranian revolution and general anti-American sentiment
as U. S. policy relates to Iran.

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In an RCP meeting on 11/15/79, Iranian students appeared at the meeting voicing anger at United States citizens who "rioted on the Iranian students in Texas last week." Those Iranians present at this meeting viewed this as an act of harassment by the United States and its "paid people." As a result of these actions, the spokesman for the Iranians present indicated similar actions by Iranian students in Iran. One particular statement made by one of the Iranians in association with the RCP meeting was "we may have to grab one of the big wheel bastards around here." This individual was identified as HASSEIN MORTAZAVI who is a doctor attending a post graduate course at the University of Alabama, Birmingham Medical School. This individual has appeared on local television news voicing support of the Iranian student takeover of the American Embassy in Tehran. In addition, he has admitted in private conversation that his brother is one of the hostage takers in Iran.

In previous LHM submitted to the Bureau, two prominent members of the RCP Chapter in Birmingham, Alabama were arrested on local charges of obstructing traffic on a busy street while selling newspapers. These members were JANET GOULD and BOBBI RIGHI. GOULD was also previously arrested in Washington, D. C. and charged with assaulting a police officer.

Referenced Birmingham LHM reflecting the use of weapons for intimidation and rhetoric which implies a general threat would indicate the violent nature of the RCP in the Birmingham Division. Since re-opening the RCP investigation in the Birmingham Division, the RCP has escalated the frequency and intensity of its activities. This escalation is evidenced by exhibiting of weapons, intimidation of persons attending meetings, its advocacy of violence, joint meetings with Iranian Nationals, and support of the taking of American officials as hostages in Iran in violation of International Law. Birmingham is of the opinion that the activities of the RCP are subject to continued investigative scrutiny and that these activities are within the purview of the Attorney General's guidelines for Domestic Security investigations. It is, therefore, recommended that the investigation be continued.

No LHM being submitted with this recommendation as Birmingham LHM referenced and dated as above is sufficient for this purpose.

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REFERENCE BUREAU TELETYPE DATED NOVEMBER 30, 1979,
CAPTIONED AS ABOVE.

AS INDICATED IN THE REFERENCED COMMUNICATION, CHICAGO
RECOMMENDED THAT THE REVOLUTIONARY COMMUNIST PARTY (RCP) INVESTI-
GATION BE CLOSED. PRIOR TO CONCURRING WITH CHICAGO'S REQUEST,
FBIHQ CANVASSED THE RECIPIENTS CONCERNING THE ASSESSMENT OF
EACH REGARDING THE RCP ACTIVITIES CURRENTLY OCCURRING IN THE
RESPECTIVE OFFICES. THESE ASSESSMENTS HAVE NOW BEEN REVIEWED
BY FBIHQ. WITH THE EXCEPTION OF THE BALTIMORE OFFICE, ALL
OTHER RCP INVESTIGATIONS SHOULD BE CLOSED EFFECTIVE WITH THE

DATE OF THIS COMMUNICATION. AGAIN, EXCEPT FOR BALTIMORE,

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ON DECEMBER 31, 1979, BALTIMORE WAS INSTRUCTED TO SUBMIT AN ANNUAL REPORT CONCERNING THE BALTIMORE RCP CHAPTER, SUMMARIZING THE RECENT RCP ACTIVITIES WHICH WARRANT ADDITIONAL INVESTIGATION UNDER THE ATTORNEY GENERAL GUIDELINES. WITH BALTIMORE BEING THE ONLY OFFICE WITH AN ACTIVE RCP INVESTIGATION REMAINING, BALTIMORE IS BEING DESIGNATED THE OFFICE OF ORIGIN. ANY INFORMATION RECEIVED OF VALUE CONCERNING THE RCP BY THE OTHER RECIPIENTS, SHOULD BE FORWARDED TO THE BALTIMORE OFFICE.

IT SHOULD BE NOTED THAT SHOULD SUBSEQUENT INFORMATION COME TO OUR ATTENTION INDICATING THE RCP IS AGAIN INVOLVED IN ACTIVITIES WHICH FALL WITHIN THE PARAMETERS OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL GUIDELINES GOVERNING DOMESTIC SECURITY INVESTIGATIONS, THE CASE(S) MAY BE REOPENED.

THE INVESTIGATION REVIEW UNIT, DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE, IS BEING ADVISED OF THE ABOVE INFORMATION.

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IT IS THE OPINION OF FBIHQ THAT THE CONTINUED INVESTIGATION
OF THE REVOLUTIONARY COMMUNIST PARTY (RCP), BALTIMORE CHAPTER, IS
NOT WARRANTED AT THIS TIME. THIS DECISION IS BASED ON A THOROUGH
REVIEW OF THE FACTUAL SITUATION PRESENTED IN THE ANNUAL REPORT
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IN LIGHT OF THIS DECISION, ALL RECIPIENTS SHOULD NOTE THERE

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WILL BE NO ACTIVE OR OPEN INVESTIGATIONS CONDUCTED REGARDING THE
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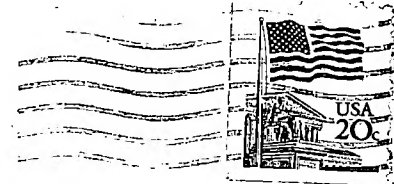
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Let's End This Madness Before It Ends Us!

Most people who have really thought about it deeply have been forced to conclude that there will be a nuclear war in their lifetime. And they are right. There *will* be—and very likely within the next few years—unless this matter of life and death and the very future of the human race is taken out of the hands of the governments of the United States and the Soviet Union and their allies & puppets. To stop nuclear war, governments like these must be brought down! They are imperialist gangsters on both sides (the Soviet Union is no more “communist” than the U.S.). You can’t even wage and you sure can’t win the fight to stop such a war unless you are willing and ready to say that these countries—*starting with your own*—aren’t worth defending; unless you welcome and are looking to take advantage of every difficulty, setback and defeat your government suffers and use these to strengthen the revolutionary movement that aims to overthrow these governments. And you can’t do *that* unless you don’t have a share in their billions of dollars of profits, soaking in blood, from ripping people off all over the world and their “strategic interests” in enforcing this; unless you don’t have a stake in defending a “way of life” where, under the control of the U.S. & Co. on one side and the Soviet Union & friends on the other, *over a billion people* in this world are forced to live on *less than 300 dollars a year!* It’s the people on the bottom of this world and on the bottom right inside these mighty powers who really don’t have any share or stake in this, who are *victims* of it, and who can and must put a stop to this madness.

Already in this country and in every part of the world, thousands and millions of people are protesting against the threat of nuclear war. But mostly the people protesting right now are from the middle classes. Most of them are for real in crying out against such a war (and in many cases, against other outrages and injustices too) but they still feel like they have a little too much to lose to put everything on the line to prevent such a war. That may sound funny...but that’s how it is, and *left on their own* these people won’t—can’t—do what is necessary to really stop this war. Which is why things can’t be left up to them. They have to be shown the way and to be pushed and pulled along by those millions on the bottom, the ones who have nothing to lose anyway and who, by coming together around a common program, can be the solid core of a *revolutionary struggle*—the one kind of struggle that can really change (and maybe literally save) the world.

A lot of people might say this isn’t going to happen — there isn’t going to be any revolution, at least not in *this* country: nobody’s going to overthrow this monster, powerful as it is. But millions of “nobodies” just might, and in any case at some point there is going to be a serious fight to do just that. We know because we are right now doing the political work to prepare to do that, as soon as the opportunity opens, as soon as the situation is ripe enough and there is a crack that a revolutionary mass uprising can blast through and become a war to overthrow this regime and establish a revolutionary one. We firmly believe that we can master the military theory and when that opportunity comes it will be possible to directly tackle the military tactics that will be involved, and right now it is crucial to strengthen the political basis for revolution. This leaflet is one part of that political work; at the same time as you’re reading this, people all over this country are

also getting copies of it—because of the leadership and coordination given by our party. Think about that in terms of building the political and organizational foundation for a revolution. And beyond that, our party is joined with the Revolutionary Internationalist Movement (RIM), made up of parties and organizations all over the world that are either already waging revolutionary war—like the guerrilla forces in Peru called the “Sendero Luminoso” (or “Shining Path”) in the media—or are building up the basis to wage such a war as soon as possible.

So there is a vanguard for the revolution—a revolution that fights *all* imperialists and reactionary butchers—in this country and internationally. And that vanguard has a political program that can guide the revolutionary struggle and illuminate the way to a new society and a new world without the exploitation, oppression, degradation, wars of plunder and dog-eat-dog values that are “normal life” under this system and that destroy, suffocate, or pervert everything creative and uplifting. But that vanguard and that program by themselves are not enough. For revolution to succeed, those whose interests lie in springing society into the air and changing this whole world from bottom to top must take political action in unity with that vanguard and that program to lay the basis for the revolutionary uprising and revolutionary war—yes, right in this country. To win a revolution you not only must have those whose life is lived in a poverty-stricken reality; you also have to get some others not quite so bad off but basically dissatisfied—and there is plenty to be dissatisfied about, including *you* at least not to fight *against* you. Again, we have the program that holds the basis for that—we can take steps to answer their deeply felt concerns, steps the present system cannot take, exactly because we are not bankers & international investors with a system of money-making and a position on top of the world to protect at all costs. But to prepare the ground, politically, for revolution, to influence millions of people toward revolution now, and be able to win them over once the revolution actually jumps off and is in progress—that requires people, most of all people on the bottom with nothing to lose and a world to win, to take to the streets and other arenas of political struggle *now*, down with an all-the-way-revolutionary program.

A lot is up—and that’s a good thing. There’s no good reason and no good excuse for going along with this shit and the Zombies who are. This is a time to raise hell everywhere and don’t stop. Already people are in motion toward a day next spring when all over the country in many different ways it will be made clear that NO BUSINESS AS USUAL will be allowed. People will come forward from everywhere around the unified slogan: “They won’t listen to reason, they won’t be bound by votes. The governments must be stopped from launching World War 3—no matter what it takes.” On that day it could make a world of difference if those most victimized by this madness make their words and deeds felt so powerfully that they can’t be ignored. That day especially—and every day—must be seized to get ready for revolution.

Get down with the party and the RIM: become part of the *organized* revolutionary movement actively preparing the ground for a revolution here in unity with revolutionary struggle throughout the world; get revolutionary training and learn to see and act on every event and every question in terms of how it fits into the preparation for that revolution here and its advance worldwide. We are the future and we, not the bomb—and not those who have their fingers poised above the button—will have the last word!

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